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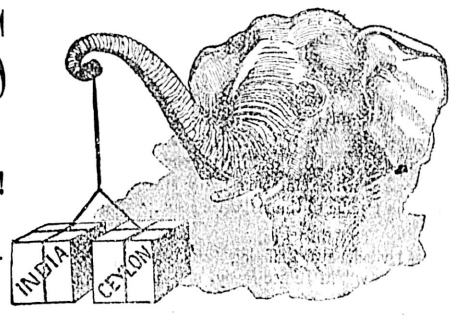

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CABLE NEWS.

Hope That the "Defender" and "Valkyrie" May Yet Have a Friendly Tussle.

Socialists to Be Expelled From Germany—The Czar and the Kaiser.

LONDON, Sept. 17.—The Daily News this morning, has an article expressing the hope that the Defender and Valkyrie III may yet get a friendly tussle, which concludes: "Lord Dunraven went to ascertain which was the best yacht, and he ought not to return leaving the point still in dispute. He owes much to himself and his country, and more, if possible, to the American committee which throughout has treated him with studied courtesy."

There is a vague report here that a North German Lloyd steamship has been sunk and 150 persons drowned. The rumor does not state the name of the vessel or the locality of the accident, but inquiries are being made.

Lord Beaumont, who has been shooting on his Yorkshire estate, was found dead today with his head shattered. It is supposed that his gun was accidentally discharged as he was crossing a stile.

There have been 12 new cases of cholera reported at Tangiers. The deaths from the disease number 11 so far.

It is reported that a rebellion has broken out on the border of Fokien. The insurgents are said to have occupied the town of Heng Leng, from which the officials fled, leaving the people to the mercy of the rebels. A detachment of Imperial troops are advancing to give battle to them.

Sir Edward Malet, the retiring ambassador to Germany, has declined a peerage, because his wife would lose rank by his elevation. She takes precedence of a countess by virtue of being a daughter of a duke, but if her husband should become a peer she would rank as his wife.

Earl Dufferin will, it is reported, soon retire from the position of British ambassador at Paris, and speculation as to who his successor will be is active. Opinion is divided between Sir Julian Pauncefote, British ambassador at Washington City, and Lord Cromer, minister to Egypt.

William Waldorf Astor's peculiar office building on the Thames embankment has just been completed. It is surrounded with a wrought iron palisade of intricate workmanship and its internal fittings are still more lavish, making it the most sumptuous place of business in London.

There are rumors of the approaching marriage of the Marquis of Worcester. Should they prove true, the event might have a vital bearing on the fortunes of the son of Lady Somerset, the nephew of the Marquis of Worcester, who, up to this time, had come to be regarded as the future Duke of Beaufort.

The German firemen on board the American Line steamship St. Louis were in a condition of semi-mutiny during the time the vessel was at Southampton this week. They are for the most part unable to speak English and appear to be jealous of the presence of Englishmen amongst them. They engaged in a general fight on Wednesday, in the course of which an English trimmer was stabbed and thrown overboard, the German firemen threatening to kill him if he should return.

The German government has decided to expel all foreign socialists from the country. The Boersen Zeitung predicts the advent of a military dictatorship.

The Centre is preparing a great Italophobe demonstration for September 20, the anniversary of the entry of Italian troops into Rome.

The Czar has sent most friendly greetings to the Kaiser. Intrigues are increasing, which have for their object the removal of Prince Hohenlohe from power.

It is admitted at the German foreign office that the visit of Prince Hohenlohe, the Imperial chancellor, to St. Petersburg, had a semi-official character. The Prince went in the first place to ask that his wife might retain possession of the estates in Russia which she inherited a few years ago from her brother, Prince Say-Wittgenstein, but he had a further mission, which was to confer with Prince Lobanoff, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, with regard to the Russo-German entente in the event of further troubles in the far East and to effect a general understanding with the political situation. It is understood the official mission of Prince Hohenlohe was measurably successful. As to his personal errand, he was entirely successful, the Czar readily granting Princess Hohenlohe permission to retain her Russian estates, which are said to be worth 50,000,000 marks. It is not improbable that one of the younger sons of Prince Hohenlohe will temove to Russia to reside permanently, and so qualify himself for the Wittgenstein estates.

The promotion of Count von Waldersee to be field marshal of Germany has directed attention anew to a man who is destined to play a leading part in the next great war in which Germany is engaged. Von Waldersee is regarded as Von Moltke's ablest pupil. His handling of the army corps at the Stettin manœuvres proved him to be a capable strategist, while his corps was shown to be one of the best drilled in the Prussian army. Since the Emperor's denunciation of socialists the seizure of socialist papers and the arrest of their editors have been incidents of almost daily occurrence. The Vossiche Zeitung of this city warns the government against ill-advised attacks upon the liberty of the press. It is known that Count von Eulenberg, who is credited with having great influence with Emperor William, has been strongly advising his sovereign toward more vigorous repressive enactments. A Hamburg newspaper declares that the imperial chancellor, Prince Hohenlohe, will resign his office if the Emperor should insist upon the introduction of any such measure. Many journals counsel the government to seek to remove the causes of discontent which feed the socialist flame, rather than hastily endeavor to suppress agitation, persecution having only served to increase the zeal of its propagandists.

The Conservatives are meeting the attacks of Baron von Hammerstein impugning their political integrity with vigor. The Kreuz Zeitung publishes a statement to-day which is signed by Count von Finckenstein, to the effect that Baron von Hammerstein was suspended from the position of chief editor of that paper in July, and since then facts have been brought to light which have compelled the committee to finally break off all relations with the baron, and that the matter has been placed in the hands of the public prosecutor. In addition the Kreuz Zeitung states shat it is found upon competent authority that Von Hammerstein resigned his seat in the Reichstag and Unterhaus on the 11th inst.

A caterpillar plague is destroying all the green crops in the vicinity of Berlin and in Silesia.

The first Berlin electric car line was opened for business on Thursday.

Julia Bulkley, of the University of Chicago, has obtained the degree of doctor of philosophy at the University of Zurich.

The British Scientific Association, the annual session of which began at Ipswich on Wednesday last, was disappointed at the absence of Lord Salisbury, the retiring president, whose physicians forbade him to participate in the sitting of the society on account of his health. There was much interest in a paper read by Mr. Borchgrevink, giving an account of his recent visit to the Antartic. There was a dull and academic discussion of the bi-metallic proposition. Mr. Grehl, secretary of the Gold Standard Defence Association, spoke for the monometallists and read to the association the already published letter from Mr. Gladstone.

The newspapers of the metropolis have not ceased to comment on the fiasco of the races for the America's cup. The press is practically unanimous in the expression of the opinion that there will be no more challenges to sail for the famous trophy during the present generation. The National Observer says that the topic has become a disgusting rather than an interesting one. The Spectator's article dwells at considerable length on the manner in which America has always led the way in yacht building, and compliments what it characterizes as the astonishing ability of the Herreshoffs in the designing and building of yachts, which, it adds, is all the more noteworthy because one of the brothers has lost his sight. The Spectator then continues that the public is tiring of the system which requires that expensive boats shall be built yearly for the special purpose of competing for the America's cup, and predicts that the small raters will soon be restored to favor unless there shall be some radical change in yacht building which will insure undoubted superiority.

BURNED AT SEA.

Steamer Iona Destroyed Between Edinburgh and London With Several Lives.

LONDON, Sept. 16 —Fire broke out on the steamer Iona from Edinburgh to London and the flames spread with so much rapidity that before aid could reach the vessel six passengers and the stewardess were burned to death. The fire was put out after a four hours' struggle. The fire broke out when the Iona was off Clacton. It originated in the lamp room near the second cabin in the forepart of the vessel. The passengers were aroused and it was supposed that all had escaped. While the crew were busy fighting the flames the soldiers on board assisted in lowering the boats and supplying the passengers with life belts. There was no wind and the sea was perfectly smooth. There was, however, so much excitement and confusion that the captain was unable to restore order. Suddenly it was discovered that some women and children were missing. The stewardess re-entered the burning cabin, it is presumed to try and rescue the missing, but she also perished. Darkness and the two columns of smoke issuing from the cabin combined to make a horrible scene. Here was a passenger rushing to and fro in anguish seeking his wife and there another, searching a daughter. Not until three compartments had been burned did it become possible to enter the cabin where were discovered the charred remains of six women and a child. Then the engines of the steamer were started up again and the vessel proceeded to London. There are various rumors as to the origin of the fire. Some of the passengers allege that the male passengees acted in a cowardly manner, seeking their own safety instead of assisting the women and children into the boats.

ATLANTA'S EXPOSITION.

To Open on the Eighteenth Instant—Objects It Is Intended to Accomplish.

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 16 —The Cotton States and International Exposition will open on September 18 One of the chief aims of this exposition is to supply the deficiencies made by the South in the Chicago World's Fair. It is expected that on this occasion something like an accurate idea may be formed by the public as to what the South really is and has been doing. There are at least three well defined objects it is desired to gain by this exposition: 1. To show the world what the South is. 2 To let the South see what are the latest achievements in the world of endeavor. 3 To bring the South into closer relations with trading countries of the earth.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Manitoba and Northwestern Railway—Hon. Mr. Daly—Advance in Anthracite Coal.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 18. —(Special)—John Nelson, of London, is here, representing English bondholders, who have asked him to report on the advisability of extending the Manitoba and Northwestern railway to Prince Albert.

Hon. Mr. Daly left to-day for the Rainy River district. He will visit the Long Sault rapids on the Lake of the Woods, where improvements are wanted.

Anthracite coal is to be advanced 75 cents to retail dealers here.

Samuel Hudson died here suddenly yesterday. Heart disease is supposed to be the cause.

One advantage of taking Ayer's Sarsparilla to purify the blood is that you need not infringe upon your hours of labor nor deny yourself any food that agrees with you. In a word, you are not compelled to starve or loaf, while taking it. These are recommendations worth considering.

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Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
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CAPITAL NOTES.

Parliament Likely to Assemble in November and Adjourn Over Christmas Holidays.

Death of a Senate Official—Prompt Action to Vindicate Canadian Cheese.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Sept. 16.—With the return of the Premier to Ottawa this week and the reassembling of the cabinet after the holidays, it is surmised that one of the first questions which will be considered will be the date of the meeting of parliament. Although the formal reply of Manitoba to the Order-in-Council of July 27 last has not yet been received by the government, the opinion prevails in well informed quarters that Mr. Greenway will not recede from the position he has taken. It is considered by many that Parliament will assemble early in November, for the specific object of considering remedial legislation. It is thought that the bill could be passed before the Christmas holidays and then the house would adjourn to some date in January for the purpose of proceeding with the regular business of the session.

The prompt action of the government in rebutting the charge that filled or imitation cheese is made in Canada and exported to England has had the desired effect. Sir Charles Tupper, High Commissioner for Canada in London, to-day sent the following cable message to the department of Agriculture: "The editor of the North British Agriculturist admits and regrets the grave error made in using the word Canadian instead of American. He is retracting editorially and will publish evidence of the purity of Canadian produce in Wednesday's issue."

By the death at Montreal on Saturday of Peter Dunne, the Senate loses one of its most faithful officers. The vacant office of Senate housekeeper will be filled by the appointment thereto of John Carleton for many years the trusted and confidential messenger of Sir Mackenzie Bowell.

The Premier arrived here on Wednesday and will spend to-morrow in Belleville.

Mr. Davis, M.P., has instructed his legal representative to bring action against the corporation of Ottawa for $1,000 damages, for injury sustained to his arm, wrist and hand by falling on a defective sidewalk on O'Connor street, some weeks ago.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Earl Dunraven Declines.

MONTREAL, Sept. 16 —Earl Dunraven has declined the invitations to banquets here and at Toronto.

Kingston Election Trial.

KINGSTON, Sept. 16.—The hearing of the election appeal against Hon. Wm. Harty was opened to-day.

Henry M. Stanley's Visit.

MONTREAL, Sept. 16.—Henry M. Stanley, the explorer, arrived here yesterday from New York, and will remain for a few days. He will then proceed West by the Canadian Pacific to the Pacific Coast. Mr. Stanley says his trip is purely one of pleasure, but it is stated that he represents a number of big capitalists who propose investing in the Canadian Northwest.

Steamboat Passenger Rates Advanced.

MONTREAL, Sept. 16 —At a conference of steamboat men to-day it was decided to advance west bound steerage passenger rates at once and to advance east bound rates shortly.

Montreal Hotel Sold.

MONTREAL, Sept. 16 —The Queen's hotel was sold at sheriff's sale to-day for $21,000 to William Hanson (in trust)

Blake to Be Banquetted.

TORONTO, Sept. 16 —It is proposed to tender Hon. Edward Blake a reception on Monday, September 30.

Fire Bugs in Toronto.

TORONTO, Sept. 16.—A fire bug got in his work again on Saturday night in three places. The first fire was in the premises of H. Essex, builder, and W. Pearcy, printer. The damage in all amounted to about $1,000. Burke's factory, on Sheppard street, was the next place visited by the incendiary. About $100 damage was occasioned. An hour later fire was discovered in the wholesale stationery establishment of Warwick Bros. & Ruttan, on Front street West. The place was deliberately set on fire; the elevators shaft was partly destroyed and some sheets in process of printing were also damaged. Loss, $1,500.

Miggs—Will you not suffer from the heat here in the city all summer?

Diggs—Oh, dear, no! I married one of Boston's Four Hundred. I wear an overcoat in August when I am at home.—New York World.

Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer has restored gray hair to its original color and prevented baldness in thousands of cases. It will do so to you.

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Merchants who wish special ruling, etc., on their blank books, should inspect the line of samples of home industry at The Colonist Bindery.

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Wellington's Approaching Agricultural and Industrial Show—Doings in the Okanagan District.

Visitors From Victoria—A Charge of Homicide—Doings at the Mainland Mines.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Sept. 16.—Wellington will hold its first agricultural and industrial exhibition on Saturday. Numerous and valuable prizes are offered and many entries have been made. The affair will come off at the bicycle grounds.

Things at the mines look brighter. The Progressist and the Glory of the Seas are at Departure Bay, loading with coal.

Provincial Constable Stevenson is rapidly recovering and will soon be at his post.

The horticultural and agricultural show was completed on Saturday by a grand dance on the platform. It is said to have been a financial success.

VERNON.

(From the News.)

The move among the farmers in favor of a local grist mill appears to be going ahead. Mr. D. Graham, M.P.P., and Thomas Clinton believe that the necessary funds will be secured without difficulty, and that the mill will be ready for work at the end of the year.

Wild geese have again put in their appearance. Sandhill cranes are more plentiful, and good bags of chicken, grouse and ducks continue to be made.

A noticeable change has taken place in the prevailing opinion regarding the mineral wealth of the Upper Okanagan district, and there has been shown a disposition to examine more closely the quartz croppings within easy reach of this city.

G. L. Breeden, of Camp Hewitt, was in town on Saturday, and had with him some splendid samples of ore from the Stemwinder and Comstock claims.

REVELSTOKE.

(From the Inland Sentinel.)

The party composed of members of the British Columbia Board of Trade, of Victoria, who are making a tour through Kootenay, arrived here on Monday, September 9, and left on the same same day on the Nakusp for Rossland. A meeting was arranged in the afternoon, in the Victoria hotel, when several matters of vital importance to Revelstoke and vicinity were discussed, among them being the matter of the C.P.R. running a store car in opposition to the merchants here, and also the one of the C.P.R. putting a new bridge across the Columbia that would prevent navigation—a draw bridge being what is wanted. Colonel Prior and R. Cassidy both spoke on the subjects, and all the members professed themselves to be thoroughly in sympathy with the matters in question. In the party that left on the Nakusp are the president, D. R. Ker; vice-president, G. Leiser; ex-president, A. C. Flumerfelt; J. Piercy, B. W. Pierce, G. A. Kirk, M. Robertson, R. Cassidy, Col. Prior, M.P., E. B. Marvin, J. R. Ker, J. Weller, H. J. Wilson, and F. Elworthy, secretary.

Wm. K. Jamieson, who obtained the sum of $25 from Mrs. R. W. Northey by forging a postcript to a letter of which he was the bearer, from Mr. Northey at Rossland, was captured on Wednesday, September 4, at the brewery, by detective Cadman. He was arraigned before Judge Spinks on Monday, and was sentenced to three years at New Westminster.

MIDWAY.

(From the Advance.)

The trial shipment of ore from the Smuggler claim at Fairview, recently sent to the Tacoma smelter, gave after the expenses for smelting had been deducted, a net return of $143 70. Much free gold is met with in the ore at present and some of the specimens are of a peculiarly rich character.

George Cook located last month a claim in the Wellington camp, the Jim, which promises one day to develop into a valuable mine. The ore is a copper sulphate and is supposed will assay between $25 and $30 in gold. The ledge is known to be 50 feet wide.

S. S. Fowler, M. E., has been engaged in laying out the site for the smelter at Midway.

Mr. Finch, of Spokane, prominently known in mining circles, visited several of the principal properties in Boundary last week. His expectations, he said, were far exceeded, and he was particularly astonished at the size of the great copper ledges in Greenwood.

The manager of the Stratheyre company at Fairview is awaiting the arrival of shoes, dies and other necessary machinery for the stamp mill before starting the mill on a run of ore which is awaiting treatment.

The severe frost on Thursday and Friday nights damaged very considerably Mr. Hopper's bean and corn crops.

The proprietors of the Spotted Horse have just completed the third assessment. The silver goes probably from 12 to 40 ounces to the ton.

Another large body of ore has been struck on the ranch of Mr. Learow, Anarchist mountain, and the proprietors, who are trying to ascertain the extent of the deposit, have already stripped the ledge to a width of 50 feet, without having as yet located the walls. It is a large body of hematic ore, similar in character to that found on Kruger mountain, also to the east and west of Boundary creek, the north fork of Kettle river, and those of Trail creek.

KAMLOOPS.

(From the Inland Sentinel.)

The prospects for the success of the Kamloops fair, to be held during the first week of October, beginning on Wednesday, are very bright. The number of entries will be large and stockmen, as a general rule, have announced their intention of bringing in their best animals. The horse races will be keenly contested.

Wm. Lewis, who went up to Adams lake prospecting last July with John Hanna, came in this morning and recorded two mineral claims, the Iron Horse and Morning Star, on Adams lake, about six miles from the outlet. They think there is more gold than silver in the rock.

Joe Wayee, charged with supplying liquor to two other Indians, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced by the magistrate to three months at hard labor. Petries and Johnnie Patell and Seymour Williams and Frank August were arraigned on the charge of killing Felix Thoma on the night of August 31 or September 1. The case was remanded eight days.

J. M. Kellie, M.P.P., of Revelstoke, was in the city on Thursday, accompanied by T. Hennessey, of Big Bend. Mr. Kellie has big hopes for the Lardeau country, which he predicts will next year attract as much attention as Trail creek does this summer. On the Northern group a large body of ore occurs. The tunnel has run for twelve feet in the vein, and the men are still working in ore which runs from 40 to 100 ounces in silver and $7.50 to $10 in gold. He estimates the output of all the Kootenay mines this year will reach $3,000,000. The wagon road to Trout lake makes the mines more accessible than last year. Valleys of good farming land occur along some of the streams, and this when cultivated will be of much assistance to the district.

Rt. Rev. Dr. Dart, Bishop of New Westminster, has accepted the invitation of the vicar to pay a visit to Kamloops and be present at the harvest festival in the Anglican church on Sunday, September 29. His Lordship will preath at one service.

SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

What the Busy "Lorne" Is Doing—The "Empress of China" Sails Outward.

The Canadian-Australian Liner "Miowera's" Plans for Her Next Outward Voyage.

A particularly large number of passengers for the Orient went out on the C. P. R. steamship Empress of China last evening. Several persons who secured passage on board the steamer embarked here. Among them were several missionaries who have been making a short stay at the Dallas hotel. Embarking here also were 30 odd Chinamen and several Japs. A big miscellaneous freight comprised the cargo.

THE BUSY "LORNE."

The tug Lorne, Capt. Brown, has had no leisure time lately. Yesterday she came in from the Cape and immediately received orders to tow to Vancouver the Norwegian bark Prince Louis, which arrived in Royal Roads one day last week, being the second of the fleet of the six "Princes" coming to British Columbia for lumber cargoes and which, as previously stated, load at the Hastings mill. After dropping her tow the Lorne next proceeds to Departure Bay for the coal hulk Robert Kerr to take to Vancouver. She next comes down to Victoria for the barks Shakespeare and Aroturus. The former bark has just finished discharging English cargo at the outer wharf, and is going to Vancouver for lumber cargo for South Africa. The latter bark is not going so far, as her destination is Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring Island, where she loads lumber on Robert Ward & Co.'s account for Santa Rosalie. She was towed in from sea by the American tug Pioneer. The latter made fast to the outer wharf shortly after midday.

THE "MIOWERA'S" OUTWARD TRIP.

On Friday or Saturday next—it is uncertain which—the R. M. S. Miowera will be given dispatch for the Southern Pacific. Whether or not she will land at Honolulu is still doubtful. According to present intentions, it is understood, she will call there, but instead of docking will discharge freight and passengers into a lighter. This will involve a special freight rate to shippers, and will tend to limit the vessel's cargo. On this account some 500 barrels of Roche Harbor lime which arrived here on Saturday evening were yesterday taken back. Notwithstanding this, however, it is said that the Miowera will have full cargo going out.

MARINE NOTES.

This morning the steamer Rosalie will be here from the Sound to resume her regular run, which had been taken by the Geo. E Starr while the former was undergoing her annual overhauling at Seattle. When the Rosalie was first laid off her run it was only intended that she should miss three trips but her overhaul was made thorough and so general that it required much more time to complete the work.

The new lighthouse on Prevost island will not be taken over by the Dominion Government until towards the end of the week as it is yet incomplete. The steamer Quadra which returned from there on Saturday evening spent yesterday at Race Rocks.

Steamer Coquitlam arrived from Haddington Island on Sunday with a load of stone.

The City of Topeka is due from Alaska to-day.

ENTERED.

Str. Charmer	from	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" Geo. E. Starr	"	" "
" Sehome	"	" "
" Pioneer	"	" "
" City of Puebla	"	" "
" Walla Walla	"	San Francisco.
" Lorne	"	Straits.
" Vancouver	"	Boundary Bay.
" Coquitlam	"	Haddington Isl'd.
" R. P. Rithet	"	N. Westminster.
" Evangel	"	Port Angeles.

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" Evangel	"	Port Angeles.
"Vancouver	"	Mill Bay.
" Lorne	"	Vancouver.
" Sadie	"	Salt Spring Isl'd.
" Joan	"	Nanaimo.

Before going on a sea-voyage or into the country, be sure and put a box of Ayer's Pills in your valise. You may have occasion to thank us for this hint. To relieve constipation, biliousness, and nausea, Ayer's Pills are the best in the world. They are also easy to take.

A LIFE SAVING MEDICINE.

I was attacked severely last winter with Diarrhœa, Cramps and Colic and thought I was going to die, but fortunately I tried Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and now I can thank this excellent remedy for saving my life.
MRS. S. KELLETT, Minden, Ont.

Salmon Trolling—The best salmon spoons and trolling lines at Fox's, 78 Gov't St. Large variety on hand. x

New English dinner sets at Weiler Bros.; these are very handsome and the newest style of decoration. x

YELLOW OIL.

For Rheumatism, Lame Back, Stiff Joints, Sprains, Bruises, Burns Cuts, Frost Bites, Croup, and all Pains and Aches, either internal or external, Hagyard's Yellow Oil is an unrivalled cure.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Another line of rattan furniture just opened up, several new designs and novelties will be found in this assortment. Weiler Bros. x

"WORTH A GUINEA A BOX."

SPECIAL NOTICE

Complying with general request, BEECHAM'S PILLS will in future for the United States be covered with A Tasteless and Soluble Coating, completely disguising the taste of the Pill without in any way impairing its efficacy. Wholesale Agts. Evans & Sons, Ld. Montreal. For sale by all druggists.

Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTS.

WANTED—An experienced woman servant to take charge of three infants about 1st October, no housework; wages $20 per month. Apply by letter, giving references to A.R., Colonist office. se15-tf

OLD POSTAGE STAMPS used before 1870 wanted; $1 to $25 each paid for rare kinds; send for inspection. John Lindsay, Lock Box 3, Paris, Ont. se13-4t

WANTED AT ONCE—Five first-class coatmakers, steady employment. J. G. Campbell, Vancouver. se11-6t

WANTED—500 lots of new and cast off clothing, and shoes; 83 Johnson street. S. Cooness au21-1m

WANTED—To buy anything in the second hand line at 60½ Johnson street. au21-1m

WANTED—At 81 Johnson street, ladies and gent's cast off clothing, boots and shoes. au21-1m

TO LET OR LEASE.

TO LET—Six-roomed house, No. 115 Superior street; $15 per month; 8 roomed brick house corner of Cadboro Bay Road and Oak Bay Avenue, $15 per month; two 5-roomed cottages on Vining street at $5 per month each; 6-roomed house, No. 159 Menzies street, $16 per month. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

TO RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board. 48 Birdcage Walk. se15-6t

TO LET—Neatly furnished front rooms, with use of kitchen if required. Apply at 139 Michigan street. se13-12t

TO RENT—A furnished dwelling, well situated; at a moderate rental. Apply to Hall, Goepel & Co. se5-1m

TO LET—Comfortable furnished rooms with or without board. Woodbine House, 107 Pandora Avenue. au30-1m

FOR RENT—One room with private family, where there are no other roomers; bath, shower, hot and cold water; conveniently situated; ten minutes walk from town, and close to car, $5.00. Address M., Colonist office. au27

TO LET—For the sum ner season or longer, the Maple Bay House, Maple Bay, with about 2 acres fruit bearing orchard, and 160 acres sheep run, if wanted. This is the finest and prettiest place on the Island for anyone seeking health or pleasure, nice beach, fine fishing, good shooting, etc. Apply at the Alderlea, Duncans, Wm. Beaumont. mr10tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Happy West, handsome seal brown stallion, 8 year old, 16 hands, weight 1,100 pounds; has been trained but four months, and has shown trial miles in better than 2 30, will make a game race horse or fine roadster, is gentle and kind, any lady can drive him. Happy West, sired by Col. West, he by Almont 33, he by Hambletonian, 10, 1st dam Lucy by Cleaburn, he; by Thurman's Button, 2nd dam Fanny by Lexington. This horse can be seen at race track on 18, 19, 20 and 21. For particulars address C. W. Brega, Victoria, B.C., or Tacoma, Wash. se15-5t

FOR SALE—7 roomed house on Carr street, $1,850; 4-roomed cottage on Milne street, $800; 4-roomed cottage on Frances Avenue, $800; 6 roomed house on Cook street, $2,300; 5-roomed house on Stanley Avenue, $1400; 50 acres and improvements 12 miles from town, $500. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—Golf balls; Silvertown, A1 Black and Forgan's. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—Two well bred yearling heifers. Address J. Court, Victoria P.O. se14-3t

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE—Victoria West Steam Bakery, offering one of the best business openings in B.C. to day. Apply to The Brackman & Ker Milling Co., Victoria. se12

FOR SALE—The Three Star Saloon, corner of Fort and Wharf streets. Apply on the premises. se11-6t

FOR SALE—Improved residential city property in central part of the city, paying 12 per cent. in rents. Address X.Y.Z., Colonist office. se10-1m

FOR SALE—One of the best farms in South Saanich, on the East road about 10 miles from Victoria Post Office, containing 100 acres; about 50 acres cleared and under cultivation; 6-roomed house, good farm buildings; over 200 fruit trees, all first class land; splendid spring of water. The farm is close to the Victoria & Sidney Railway. For further particulars apply to A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street. se13

FARMERS and others having land to clear would do well to write to or call and see George Glover, of No. 64 Fourth street, Victoria, B.C., who has for sale or hire the tree and stump puller known as "The Canadian Giant," which he believes is the best and speediest stumping machine in the world. se10-1md&w

FOR SALE.

Under instructions from W. J. Macaulay, Esq., who contemplates travelling abroad, we are authorized to offer for sale his elegant family residence "HIGHLANDS," situated on Rockland avenue, Victoria. The house is solidly constructed and beautifully finished throughout; replete with all modern conveniences. The grounds comprise over five acres, tastefully laid out with spacious lawns, rare shrubs, flowers and fruit trees, and command an unsurpassed view of the Olympic Range, Mount Baker and the Straits of Fuca. There are large, well-planned stables, carriage-house and gardener's dwelling. For particulars apply to

DALBY & CLAXTON,
au28-1m 61 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY.

In view of the holding of the B.C. Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition in this city, between the 16th and 21st instants, both inclusive, the citizens are respectfully requested to observe Wednesday next the 18th instant, (Children's Day), as a public holiday.

JOHN TEAGUE,
Mayor.
City Hall, Sept. 11th, 1895. se12

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of all kinds, from a "NEEDLE TO AN ANCHOR" is speedily and cheaply executed at
THE COLONIST
Merchants and citizens in general should see samples and get prices.

TENDERS.

NOTICE

Tenders for Coke

Tenders will be received by the undersigned at Nelson, B.C., up to 10th October next, for eighteen hundred tons of Smelting Coke, to be delivered in equal monthly instalments of four hundred and fifty tons, on or before 1st December, 1895, 1st January, 1st February and 1st March, 1896, at the Hall Mines Smelting Works, Nelson, B.C. The works adjoin the C.P. Railway.

Tenders must be accompanied by a fair average sample of the Coke offered.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

HENRY E. CROASDAILE,
Commercial Manager,
se5-1m The Hall Mines, Ltd.

Undertaking Business for Sale.

TENDERS

will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m., September 21st, 1895, for the purchase of the complete Undertaking Stock, Fixtures and Book Accounts of John Hilbert, of Nanaimo.

The stock and fixtures can be inspected and full particulars given on application to the undersigned.

B. D. PRESLEY,
P. O. Box 150, Nanaimo, B.C.,
Assignee Estate John Hilbert.
Nanaimo, B.C., Aug. 24, 1895. au31-td

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Kindergarten and Primary School

10 BLANCHARD STREET, VICTORIA, B.C.

Patroness: Her Excellency the Countess of Aberdeen.

Principal.....Mrs. R. S. Day
Kindergartner.....Miss Mathews
(1st Class Certificated Teacher.)
Physical Culture.....Mrs. W. Marvin

The above School will re-open on Monday, September 9th, 1895. The teaching in the Primary School will be conducted entirely on kindergarten principles, and will include reading writing, arithmetic, history, nature studies, with simple needlework and cutting out for the girls, and first lessons in Sloyd for the boys.

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Training class for ladies wishing to study the kindergarten system, four afternoons in the week.

For full particulars apply to THE PRINCIPAL, Derreen, Rocklands avenue, Victoria, B.C. au25-1t

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GAGE'S NEW VERTICAL COPYBOOKS,

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SCAIFE'S SYNOPTICAL CHART.

Large, $10.00. Small, for children's use at home, $1.75. No household should be without one of these charts, which make the study of history a pleasure—not a task.

WEATHER STRIPS

FOR DOORS AND WINDOWS

General Repairs.
Carpenter Work of all kinds.

J. P. BURGESS,
se12-m 10 Broughton Street.

NOTICE.

For sale 1000 cords of dry cordwood at from $2.50 per cor [illegible] per cord, (according to quality) delivered. Samples can be seen at my yards corner of Discovery and Government streets, or Spratt's wharf. Your order solicited. Steam wood sawing done in any part of the city at current rates, also stove wood for sale cut in lengths to suit. Delivered promptly at current rates. A. C. HOWE. Telephone No. 40. jy4-6m

SPECIAL.

WHEN ALL OTHERS FAIL CONSULT

Doctor Sweany

RECOGNIZED BY THE MEDICAL FRATERNITY AS THE

LEADING AND MOST SUCCESSFUL SPECIALIST IN THE UNITED STATES.

THE friend and benefactor of suffering humanity, who for a number of years has had permanent offices at Seattle, where the sick and afflicted can receive treatment in the future, as they have in the past, from this noted philanthropist, whose fame is being spread from the Pacific to the Atlantic coast.

All are Invited and no Suffering Human Being will be Turned Away.

THE POOR

who call at his offices Fridays are welcome to his treatment free of charge.

What is the Reason of Dr. Sweany's Success, and Why do Sick People of Every Station In Life Crowd His Office Daily?

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First of all he has succeeded in effecting a cure of diseases before which all others stood powerless; and second, he is not only a doctor, but a Christian and a Philanthropist. His fame has preceded him, and the honors he received at the leading Eastern hospitals, as well as in Europe, were the highest ever bestowed upon anybody. To-day his treatment is unsurpassed by any, and he has testimonials to that effect from men of the highest standing in life, as well as from those of a lower station. It is a part of judgment and sense to seek Doctor Sweany first, instead of squandering time and money upon the uncertainties of patent medicines and picayune specialists.

All Private Diseases of Men and Women Positively Cured in the Shortest Possible Time.

YOUNG, MIDDLE-AGED AND OLD MEN

If you are victims of youthful indiscretions and unnatural losses, if you are on the road to idiocy, insanity and the grave, if gloom and melancholy, morbid fear and unnatural lust prevade your mind, if you are despondent and down-hearted, if you have lost all energy and ambition, if you have an aversion to society, if your memory is failing and you are unfit for business or study, you should consult Dr. Sweany before it is too late. Get well and be a man.

DISEASES OF WOMEN.

If you are suffering from any of the diseases peculiar to your sex, you should call or write to Dr. Sweany, and he will tell you just what can be done for you. He has succeeded in building up the most shattered and broken-down constitutions, and will bring back to you that health, strength and beauty which every woman should possess.

You Can be Cured at Home.

There are thousands cured at home by correspondence. Write if you cannot come personally. The strictest secrecy is observed, so cast aside all feelings of shame to consult the Doctor. He is conversant in all modern languages.

Method of Treatment.

No poisonous or injurious mineral drugs used, but the medicines are all compounded from the very choicest, purest and most effective medicinal plants, roots and herbs in the whole range of nature, and while their effects are marked and immediately apparent, they do not build up temporarily, but effect permanent as well as perfect cures.

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LEVERETT SWEANY, M. D.,
Union Block, 713 Front St.,
au27 SEATTLE, WASH.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

AN EXAMINATION for efficiency in the practice of assaying, under section 12 of the "Bureau of Mines Act, 1895," will be held during the month of September.

For the ordinary certificates candidates will be required to pass in practical assaying for gold, silver, lead (dry assay), copper and iron, and also to answer such ordinary questions relating to the practice of assaying as the examiners may think fit.

A fee of $10 is payable for the ordinary certificate.

For full particulars apply to the Minister of Mines, Victoria.

JAMES BAKER,
Minister of Mines.
28th August, 1895. au30-3w

Public Notice.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of Section 35 of the "Municipal Act Amendment Act, 1894," that the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, has by resolution, in each case of Nos. 1 and 2, hereunder (which resolutions were passed at a meeting of the said Council held on the 9th day of September instant), declared that:

1. A certain wooden building situate on the south west corner of Lot 2, Block 12, corner of View and Douglas streets:

2 That certain cabins, buildings and structures appurtant thereto, situate on the eastern portion of Lot 160, Block 2, fronting on the alley-way between Government street and Broad street, running north and south, and connecting with Johnson street:

All of which being within the municipal limits of the City of Victoria, are in each case, and respectively, a nuisance and dangerous to public health, and it was thereby ordered, that the same shall be pulled down and removed by the respective owners, agent, lessees or occupiers thereof, and in case of default by any of the said owners, agents, lessees or occupiers, within a period of five days after publication of this notice in the DAILY COLONIST, a daily newspaper published in such municipality, to comply with this order it was thereby ordered that such pulling down and removal of the said cabins, buildings and structures shall be done by the Sanitary Officer of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, at the cost of the owners of such cabins, buildings and structures as above mentioned respectively, and that the payment of such cost and all expenses incidental thereto, shall be inforced against the owner there of by the said Sanitary Officer in an action of law in any court of competent jurisdiction.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office,
10th September, 1895. se11

MUNICIPAL:

TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

Tax notices for the year 1895 were posted on the 28th, August instant, to those on the Municipal Assessment Roll for the current year

Anyone who may not receive same in due course will please apply at the post office.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector
City Collector's Office,
Victoria, B.C., Aug. 28, 1895.

$10.00 REWARD.

The above mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons setting fire to any grass or causing any grass fire within the corporate limits of the City of Victoria.

By Order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
Victoria, July 17, 1895. jy18

40-ACRE FARM FOR SALE

Situated half way between Chemainus and Maple Bay, and within 3 miles of Hall's Crossing, on the E. & N. Railway and ten miles from Duncan's. Five acres are under cultivation, and the balance has been slashed and burned, and with a slight expense can all be made ready for crop. The property is well situated, having a half mile frontage on the water. There is excellent water on the property for all purposes. There is a small house and barn on the land. For anyone requiring a small farm or a charming country seat, the above will be found well suited to their desire. The property, including various implements, will be sold for $2,000. Terms will be made to suit the purchaser.

For further particulars apply to "Rancher," care of The Colonist. no22-tf

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MINERAL WATER

—FROM—

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THORPE & CO.,

L'T'D L'B'Y,

VICTORIA. Telephone 435. Box 175.

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CHOLERA AT HONOLULU.

Fears That the Natives May Revolt and Cause Serious Trouble.

Condition of Affairs at the Latest Advices—The Action of the Authorities.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Private advices from Honolulu state that cholera has obtained a stronger foothold on the Hawaiian capital than the authorities are willing to admit. The natives are said to be much incensed at the Honolulu health officials, and do not willingly obey their orders. They not only conceal new cases from the authorities, but decline to use the treatment prescribed, and hide the fatalities resultant from the epidemic. The natives will not trust themselves in the hands of the board of health if they can avoid it, believing that such treatment means certain death. They are much excited over the spread of the disease, which they ascribe to the unpopular board of health.

It is predicted that unless the disease abates or some change is made in its management the natives may revolt and resort to riots and incendiarism. There are physicians in Honolulu who enjoy the confidence of the natives, but these doctors are not in favor with the health board, and can take no prominent part in the suppression of the epidemic. If put in control these men might do more than the entire board of health, for they could convince the natives that the sanitary regulations are for their good, and not part of a white man's plot to exterminate all Hawaiians.

Rear-Admiral Beardslee has received a report from the captain of the United States ship Bennington, which states that one death from cholera occurred on that vessel. No mention is made of other cases on that vessel, and the admiral does not credit the statement made in a letter by Ensign Blue that there were six cases on the Bennington.

Mr. Blue, of the Bennington in a letter of August 23, says, cholera broke out in the islands two weeks previously, and was constantly on the increase. The death rate daily was six, and of all who contracted the disease only one escaped with his life. On September 3, two days before the sailing of the Mariposa, Ensign Blue stated that six men were down with the disease on board the Bennington, and that one sailor had died. The cruiser's surgeon had made a careful microscopic examination of the excreta of sick patients, and pronounced the disease to be a virulent type of Asiatic cholera. It is stated here that the U. S. authorities will assist the state and local officers in preventing the entrance of the disease into this country. He thought this could be accomplished by exercising due diligence.

In San Francisco there is general indignation at the action of the quarantine officers in permitting the steamer Australia to come alongside a city dock half an hour after her arrival from an infected port. The board of health at a special meeting to consider the epidemic at Honolulu, declared Honolulu to be an infected port and all vessels coming from that or any other port in Hawaii will be quarantined until the passengers, crew and baggage have been fumigated. The state board of health will take steps to guard all ports in California.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Dr. Wyman, surgeon-general of the marine hospital service, speaking of the cholera in Honolulu, said that the quarantine service on the Pacific coast is in very good condition. Every port of entry has been inspected by a regular marine hospital officer, and compliance with the treasury regulations assured.

TACOMA, Sept. 16.—Under date of Sept. 5, the Hawaiian department of foreign affairs writes to Consul J. T. Steeb, of this port, as follows regarding the cholera: "Since Aug. 17, when cholera appeared here in Honolulu, there have been 31 deaths, one recovery and seven in the hospital, a total of 39 cases. None of the white residents of the city have been attacked, the disease confining itself so far to the native Hawaiians. No danger is apprehended that the white population will be affected. This island, Oahu, is in strict quarantine, and the most rigorous measures have been taken to stamp out the plague."

"ARE PARENTS A FAILURE?"

TO THE EDITOR:—Your excellent and timely leader of September 15 is worthy of universal study. To the writer it appears that very much of the conduct of parents must be set down against governments. Our local government undertakes the duties of parents. The education of children is free; the cost being paid by the public at large, but the majority of those sending children to the schools pay little or nothing to the public exchequer on this behalf. The little ones are sent to school—the parents make the teachers the parents, and so neglect their own duties. True it is that, whilst a child is in school the teachers stand *in loco parentis* for the time being; but it is only for the time being; the really moral education must be cared for by those at home. Are they capable of, or, if capable, willing to do their duty? What people get gratis is but little valued—so with education—and it has also the additional drawback of benumbing self-reliance. Had people to pay in some measure, exertion would have to be used, and the parents would have a great deal more regard for education and would help the children at home.

What is the case now? Parents want their children to begin where they themselves leave off; the preliminary steps of industry, perseverance and self-reliance, whereby they obtained their eminence, are entirely ignored—particularly, perhaps, in the case of females. Manual labor, by any who have risen to the higher schools, is considered derogatory, hence all want to live on—what many have not—wits and brains. This leads to bad results. The animal propensity, in a small or great degree, of getting by fair means or foul what it desires, exists in man also; but man wants more, viz, to be rich, to be luxurious, "Make money, honorably if you can, but make money." This bad axiom is paramount on this continent, and possibly on the earth at large, leading to the chicanery so prevalent and yet so little despised. How much of this may be traced to education (not meaning that of British Columbia alone) at school, and how much to parental education at home, one does not pretend to judge. After all is said, are not the majority of children worthy of their descent? The minority must not be considered the rule.

Given a world in which every one, more or less dishonest, is desirous of pomp, display and luxury—to be satisfied somehow or other, save by honesty; encouraged in its course by a government formed by themselves suitable to their purposes, then the children will be found obedient—to the character and example of their surroundings. The whole world is a tinselled show (only there are various tinsels). If an improved variety of children be a desideratum, surely it will be necessary to begin with their progenitors. When any particular and special variety can be decided on, then in course of time the same question will be again asked "Are marriage and parentage a mistake?" In the meanwhile, the world will go on as usual—people will marry and then find out by experience. A. B. C.

For a long time I suffered with Rheumatism in the Back so severely that I could not even sit straight. My wife advised a D. & L. Menthol Plaster. I tried it and was soon going about all right. S. C. HUNTER, Sweet's Corners.
Price 25c.

FRAKER'S FRAUD.

A Remarkable Insurance Case Up for Trial—A Well Planned Scheme.

Loaded Up With Policies He Pretends to Have Been Drowned and Disappears.

RICHMOND, Mo., Sept. 16.—To morrow will open here the preliminary hearing in the case of Dr. G. W. Fraker, a professional attache of the leading hotel at Excelsior Springs, a famous health resort near Kansas City. He is charged by A. S. Van Vandenberg, representing the Kansas Mutual Life Association of Topeka, Kansas, with having on the 15th day of May, 1892, and on the 20th day of February, 1893, the defendant, Fraker, obtained from the Mutual Life Association two policies of insurance for $5,000 each, and that on the 10th day of July, 1893, he attempted to defraud the association by pretending to lose his life by drowning in the Missouri river.

The case for the prosecution is that, with certain companions, the Doctor went fishing on the Missouri river one day, and after dark, while in company of George Harvey, James Triplett and Jake Crowley, a negro, he disappeared and was seen no more. These parties afterwards swore positively that they witnessed his drowning, while rowing in a leaky boat, but after a strict search his body could not be found. Some three or four months previously he had begun loading up with life insurance, taking $10,000 in the Kansas Mutual Life Company, of Topeka; $15,000 in the Hartford Life Annuity; $15,000 in the Providence Savings; $10,000 in the Equitable Life of New York, and $8,000 in benevolent societies; a total of $58,000.

After investigation, all the companies, except the Equitable, refused to pay the claims, whereupon James E. Lincoln, the executor of the will, brought suit in the District court at Liberty, Mo., which was afterwards transferred to the Circuit court, of Kansas City. In the latter part of 1894, after an intensely sensational trial, lasting two weeks, the jury, acting under positive instructions from the court, declared for the defence. A new trial was granted on technical points, but in February, 1895, judgment was given for the full amount, and a stay of execution granted for six months until August 12, 1895. On that date the full amount was paid to the executor, and the companies withdrew their offer of $20,000 reward.

On the 10th ult. this legally dead doctor was captured in a wood in the State of Minnesota. He had been living near where he was found for six months. He admitted his identity, and said he did not leave Topeka on purpose to defraud the companies, but while he was near the river he fell in. He swam across the river and got on land. The next day he read in the papers that he had been drowned, and concluded to carry out the deception and allow his heirs to collect the insurance. This scheme he carried out by concealing himself in a wood, and was so successful as to secure a judgment from a supreme court, by which he was declared to be no longer living.

Did You Ever Think

That you cannot be well unless you have pure, rich blood? If you are weak, tired, languid and all run down, it is because your blood is impoverished and lacks vitality. These troubles may be overcome by Hood's Sarsaparilla because Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure, rich blood. It is, in truth the great blood purifier.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

VALUABLE TO KNOW.

Consumption may be more easily prevented than cured. The irritating and harassing cough will be greatly relieved by the use of Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam that cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, and all pulmonary troubles.

The Rambler bicycle is a first class machine, and judging from the large number selling, it must be gaining popular favor. Weiler Bros., agents. x

ACTED LIKE MAGIC.

"It has always acted like magic. I had scarcely ever need to give the second dose of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for summer complaints," writes
MRS. WALTER GOVENLOCK, Ethel, Ont.

After the wedding come the wedding cards—those dainty souvenirs of the happy day. Don't forget that the only complete stock of this kind of stationery in the city is to be seen at the Colonist office. An inspection invited. x

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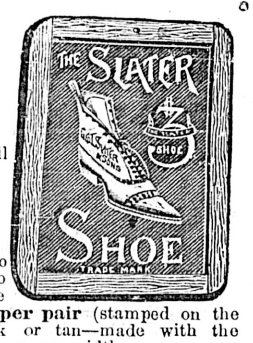

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Dated Victoria, the 31st August, 1895.
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
se1 Secretary.

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THE EXHIBITION.

The Nineteenth Annual Exhibition of the British Columbia Agricultural and Industrial Association opens to-day. It will be, from what we have heard of it, and what it ought to be, superior to any Exhibition held in this city heretofore. These yearly exhibitions of the products of the different industries of the Province are intended to demonstrate the progress it is making in the useful arts. And they do this very effectively and very satisfactorily. If the Exhibition which is to be opened to-day is compared with one held three, four, five or six years ago, those who make the comparison cannot but be struck with the very great progress which the Province has made in all its industries. The inhabitants of the Province require to be shown in some impressive manner the great advances it is continually making. Its progress, though rapid, is quiet. There is very little going on that strikes the imagination as at all surprising. Everyone goes about his work in the old way with results that are not always to him satisfactory.

The British Columbian is continually meeting people who are telling him that the Province is not going ahead, that it is not in a better position than it was at a certain period some years ago, which his informant tells him was British Columbia's golden age. And if he is unobservant and if the opportunity is not afforded him of comparing the Province's state of advancement at that time with its condition now, he will be very apt, particularly when the times are hard, to place some reliance on the dismal story told by the praiser of past times. But the annual exhibitions afford him a measure by which to test the accuracy of the statements of those who deny that the Province is advancing.

Progress is not always readily discerned. The population of British Columbia between the years 1881 and 1891 increased very nearly 99 per cent. Yet nothing extraordinary happened in those ten years. Very few persons in the country realized that its population was increasing at such a rapid rate as almost to double itself in a single decade. Since then there is good reason to believe that the inhabitants of the Province are increasing at a still greater ratio. It will not greatly surprise us at the end of the next decennial period to find that they had increased at the rate of two hundred per cent. and more. As it is with progress in population so it is with advancement in other directions; it is going on so quietly yet so continuously that there are comparatively few who are taking note of it—that are, in fact, in a position to measure it with any degree of exactitude. But those who view this year's Exhibition intelligently and compare it with the exhibitions of former years cannot but see that the Province has of late been making long strides in the right direction. They will be able, too, to see the influences that are at work which are likely to advance it still more rapidly. There are now many signs which go to show that the people not only of British Columbia but of the whole Dominion and of Great Britain are beginning to realize the extent and the value of the resources of the province, and that it is on the eve of a period of progress such as it has not yet seen. If this year's exhibition is taken as a starting point, future exhibitions will, we have no doubt, for a long time to come, like mile stones to the traveller, answer the purpose of showing how far it has advanced and the rate at which it has been travelling.

We trust that this year's Exhibition will be in every respect a success. The Directors of the Association have spared no pains to make it attractive and truly representative. We sincerely hope that their zeal and their energy and their disinterested exertions will meet with the reward they so richly deserve. It should be remembered that success means to them nothing more than the consciousness of labor well directed and duty faithfully performed; but it means to this city and this province substantial benefit now and in the near future.

A STATESMAN'S UTTERANCE.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper delivered a happy speech at the opening of the Toronto Exhibition. He showed that he believes in Canada and is confident of its future. Its prosperity, he asserted, does not depend upon any political party. The people have, under Providence, their own destiny in their own hands. Among other things well worth hearing, he said:

I believe your exhibition is of great national importance. I think, of course, it is a great thing that you should bring together the exhibits of the different industries and of agriculture and excite a worthy rivalry in that regard, but above that I see that in your wisdom you have asked men, some of them prominent, some of them humble, like myself, although holding a responsible position in the Government of this country, to be present to give them an opportunity of meeting the intelligent men that congregate within your gates on these occasions to say something to stir up the national pride. In this you are doing a great thing for Canada, and it will be my duty to-day, as it is my pleasure, to say one or two words ordinary, it is true, but, nevertheless, to speak for those who remain silent, who have not my opportunity. I would refer to the spirit of hope which is abroad in this country to-day. We have had good news from the West, and good news from the West means a great deal for Toronto and all East of Toronto; but if I know anything, then I know that the Northwest Territories and Manitoba cannot prosper, cannot grow, without your feeling it almost as soon as those great territories, and, taking one thing with another, as I have done, travelling through the Provinces and meeting public and business men, I believe that the day of doubt has passed from this land of ours. I believe that in the Liberal and Conservative ranks there is to-day in Canada a healthy feeling. I believe that Canadians realize that they have not only a magnificent heritage, a great country and the better half of the North American continent, but that there is, after a time of despondency, a feeling of joy and hope in the breasts of the majority of our countrymen. The future of this country is assured, no matter what men are at the helm of affairs. One party or another may promote in a speedier manner, may accelerate the prosperity of this country. Canada has a sure and certain foundation for future prosperity, and marvellous prosperity at that.

These are the words not of a partisan politician, but of a statesman to whom his country is more than his party, and who takes a broad view of the conditions on which the welfare of the Dominion depends. We are much mistaken in Sir Charles H. Tupper if he does not, as he grows older, prove something more and something a great deal better than a mere party politician.

AN UNDESERVED REPROACH.

The Winnipeg Nor'-Wester in reply to the statement made by Principal Grant in his letter to the Toronto Globe that "the Federal Goverment has thrown it (the Manitoba school question) into the arena of Dominion politics," says:

With all deference to the judgment and the disinterested spirit with which Principal Grant wrote this letter, one would like to know what possible object the Dominion Government could have had in throwing this vexatious question "into the arena of Dominion politics." The greatest enemy of the Conservative cabinet will not accuse it of hunting for trouble. If it were possible, it is not unreasonable to suppose that such a troublesome, party splitting question would have been left severely alone by the Dominion Government. Liberals do not charge the members of the cabinet with undue tenderness of conscience, or that they were merely actuated by a sense of justice in framing the remedial order. They say, however, in effect that the Dominion Government was influenced by political reasons and that the government was compelled to take the action it did by the Roman Catholic minority in Manitoba and the supporters of separate schools. Now, the government of Sir Mackenzie Bowell either had a right to hear the appeal of the Roman Catholic minority for redress or it had not. If it were not compelled to listen to the appeal and was influenced by political reasons it would have been the height of folly in a party sense to throw "into the arena of Dominion politics" a question fraught with such danger to any administration. There was the danger, if Separate schools were restored in Manitoba, of alienating ultra-Protestants, not only in that province but in the others, while if the appeal of the Catholic minority was refused, the Province of Quebec would go over to the enemy. In any event the Dominion Government stood to lose. Liberals will certainly not say that under these circumstances the Conservative government threw the school question "into the arena of Dominion politics." There was nothing in this wide world in a party sense to be gained by so doing.

The Nor'-Wester is right. The Manitoba school question was a most unwelcome one to the Conservative Government and the Conservative party. They would not have touched it if they could by any honorable means have avoided it. But they were from the first helpless in the matter. They could not prevent the minority in the Province feeling aggrieved at the Local Government's school legislation. They could not hinder the minority from proceeding to test the constitutionality of that legislation in the courts and taking their case to the Privy Council. It was altogether out of their power to prevent the minority appealing to the Governor-General-in-Council for remedial legislation. When the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council decided that the appeal of the Manitoba minority was constitutional the school question was thrown into the arena of Dominion politics. There is no power in the Dominion or in the Empire (for that matter) to keep it out of that "arena." The Manitoba Act is clear on that point; it says in sub-section (2) of section 22:

An appeal shall lie to the Governor-General in Council from any Act or decision of the Legislature of the Province or of any Provincial authority, affecting any right or privilege of the Protestant or Roman Catholic minority of the Queen's subjects in relation to Education."

It must be admitted that when the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council decided that the Roman Catholic minority had the right to appeal from the decision of the Legislature of Manitoba to the Governor-General in Council, that minority having made the appeal. The question was in the arena of Dominion politics and Dominion politicians, whether they liked it or not, must deal with it in some way or another.

Principal Grant must on reflection see that it was the Manitoba minority and not the Dominion Goverment which made the question a Dominion one. It was, we know, contended that the function of the Governor General in Council was, with regard to the question, judicial and not political. Mr. McCarthy from the first contended that the members of the Government must consider the question as politicians and not as judges, and it was, if we mistake not, admitted that in this contention he was right.

The Government was taunted by the Opposition of being afraid to tackle the question, of trying to shirk the responsibility that constitutionally devolved upon them. But they did nothing of the kind. When once the decision of the Privy Council reached Ottawa they did as the Constitution directs, and no one has as yet been able to show that any other course was open to them. Those who study the subject closely will see that the Government were careful to take the course prescribed by the Constitution, and not to go a single hairsbreadth beyond it. They had what they must have known was a most important and an exceedingly difficult duty to perform, and they performed it discreetly and conscientiously, and without, as we believe, making any "mistake."

A GOOD CITIZEN.

The death of Hon. T. H. Haviland, late Governor of Prince Edward Island, is announced. Mr. Haviland had for a long time been one of the leading men of that Province. He was a staunch and consistent Conservative. He represented the constituency of Georgetown in the Provincial Legislature for many years. He was a member of several local Governments and held important offices. He was one of the Fathers of Confederation, having represented Prince Edward Island at the Quebec Conference. He was for many years one of the Senators of the Dominion and was afterwards Governor of his native Province. He was a public-spirited man of considerable ability. His character was unblemished. There were few men in the Province better liked than the Hon. T. H. Haviland, and none more respected. As a public man he was *sans peur et sans réproche*, and as a private citizen he was held in high esteem by men of all classes, all parties and all creeds. Few men who have taken a prominent part in public life have left behind them a fairer record than Thomas Heath Haviland.

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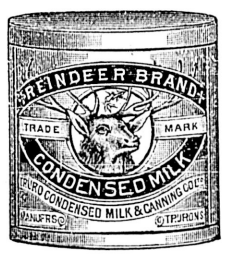

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THE CITY.

JOHN SMITH was yesterday sent to jail for 21 days, on conviction for drunkenness.

THE regular weekly meeting of the Valhalla Society was held in the Brunswick hotel last evening.

FRANK CHRISTIANER is in town arranging with Manager Jamieson for the appearance here in February of Sousa's band.

A SPECIAL and vesy important meeting of Colfax lodge, Rebekah degree, is to be held this evening in the library of the I.O.O.F. hall on Douglas street.

MEMBERS of the V.W.C. who had tickets to dispose of for the championship race meet are requested to make their returns at once to the honorary treasurer, Mr. W. H. Perry, in order that the accounts may be closed up as speedily as possible.

SPECIAL services of song were held Sunday evening in the Metropolitan Methodist, First Presbyterian and Emmanuel Baptist churches, at each of which there was a large and interested congregation. At Christ Church cathedral Mr. George Pauline gave a much appreciated recital on the organ.

PETTY thieving is said to be again epidemic in the business portion of the city. Complaint has been made to the police that a suit of clothes was stolen by a sneak thief from a room in the Empire house, Johnson street, and on Saturday night Furnival's auction mart was entered and several suits of clothing and other articles stolen.

THE band of the B.C.B.G.A. gave a much appreciated programme of music, both sacred and classical, at Beacon Hill Park on Sunday afternoon. As chill October is now close at hand, and the concerts must of necessity soon be abandoned in deference to the rullings of the weather clerk, a more than usually large crowd was in attendance.

THE harvest festival service in connection with St, James' chuach will be held next Monday evening at 8 o'clock, instead of on Wednesday week as announced in the church on Sunday last. The sermon will be preached by His Lordship the Bishop of Columbia, and amongst others of the clergy Ven. Archdeacon Scriven will be present.

MR A. H. MAYNARD, of the local society of spiritualists, conducted the services in connection with the interment of the mortal remains of Mrs. Alexander Turner on Sunday afternoon last. The burial was at Ross Bay Cemetery, and the following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Simeon Duck, W. Andean, T. Cavin, J. Blackburn, J. Dean and O. C. Hastings.

SPECIAL Constable Anderson is back from Kamloops, where he went in charge of the following old men, who were going to the Provincial Home: Michael Canfill, Alex. McLean, C. Blayney, James Dooley, J. Daugan, Henry Quittenden, Richard Copeland, R. D. Pitt, James McPhadden, James Wilson, Denny Sullivan, Wm. Gilmore, Thomas Fish, Jacques Sandel and David Murray.

THE Stronachville assault of a week ago, which it was feared would result in the death of West Coast Willie, will be officially inquired into in the city police court this morning, the victim of the fracas having under the care of the hospital doctors recovered sufficiently to attend and give his evidence. Andrew Miller, the caretaker of the Phœnix cabins, who is charged with the assault, claims that he acted entirely in self-defence.

THE need of increased police protection in Victoria West is again evidenced by the appearance of a number of bold and very offensive tramps in that locality of late. One of these gentry greatly annoyed a lady and her little girl on their way home from church on Sunday evening, refusing to let them pass and using most unbecoming language to them until Mr. J. H. Mason arrived on the scene in answer to the lady's call for assistance and took herand her little daughter under his protection.

THERE was almost a larger attendance at the concert and dance given under the auspices of the Daughters of St. George in the A.O.U.W hall last evening than could be comfortably accommodated, nevertheless all remained and seemed to enjoy themselves. The programme published in the COLONIST a day or so ago was carried out as published except that little Edgar Fawcett, who was down for a violin solo did dot appear. The concert was given under the management of Mrs. E. Lang with Mr. E. A. Wolff as musical director and its merit was deserving of the large crowd who heard it. The dance which followed and for which the Bantly family orchestra furnished the music brought the evening's entertainment to a pleasant conclusion.

THE Oriental liner Tacoma, when she called here on her way outward, had on board a party of eight or ten Chinese, some of them coming from as far east as Buffalo, N.Y. Wong Si Quong was one of the contingent homeward bound against their wish and will, but with the cuteness for which the heathen Chinee is peculiar, Wong and his friends succeeded in defeating the order of deportation for a time at least. An information was laid by Lim Yen, charging the members of the Wong clan with having stolen a suit of clothes in August last. A warrant was issued; the necessary $50 was deposited with the customs authorities by the prosecution, and Quong was removed from the steamer to the city lockup. No one appeared to prosecute when the case was called in yesterday's police court, and remand until to-day was ordered—the accused being released on bail. It is now found that the information is defective and the canny Chinaman will probably be set free to-day.

THE Victoria police have been advised to keep a sharp look-out for George Van Gulpin, a "labor-leader" and municipal office-seeker of San Francisco, who lately defaulted with almost $1,600 of the funds entrusted to his care. He is believed to have come this way.

CONSTABLE ANDERSON saved an Indian named James Casey from drowning yesterday morning about 4 o'clock. Casey fell into the water from the C. P. N. wharf, but luckily the constable heard him yell and went to the rescue. The rescuer fared the worst, for he lost his overcoat while rescuing Casey.

SEQUAH continues to drew large crowds at the A.O.U.W. hall. This is his last week in Victoria. From here he goes to Nanaimo, where he has arranged for a stay of two weeks. A number of his patients treated for rheumatism speak highly of the benefits received, among them being some well known citizens who have been suffering for a considerable time.

THE annual fall opening takes place to-day at the Lansdowne house, Yates street, when the ladies who take an interest in inspecting the very latest and prettiest creations of the milliner's art—and what lady does not—are sure to be in attendance. The Lansdowne house goods have been carefully selected and represent the fashions of the hour in all lines of a well dressed lady's equipment.

A MEETING was held yesterday forenoon of some twenty-five milkmen who live outside the city limits, to consider Ald. Williams' proposition to make non-resident milk vendors pay a license for selling in the city. It was decided to ask Ald Williams to lay over for two weeks his notice of motion that was to come before the city council on the subject. The general feeling seemed to be that those present would not object to pay a $25 license if milkmen resident in the city had to pay the same, but otherwise they objected.

SPRING Ridge is excited over a sensation which culminated on Friday night in an elopement that is now the talk of the neighborhood. The principals in the affair are both married, the man leaving behind him a wife and child, and the woman deserting her husband, but taking her little four-year-old girl with her. It was the deserted husbrnd who last evening reported the matter to the police, whose assistance he sought to regain his child. The wife and mother, he says, can go her own course. On the other hand the deserted wife is receiving the sympathy and assistance of friends; her husband before his departure having closed up his business and converted his Victoria property into cash, which he took with him. Nothing definite is known of the whereabouts of the pair, but it is thought they took steamer here on Saturday for Seattle.

ON Sunday the United Service lodge of Freemasons, at Esquimalt, attended divine service at St. Paul's church. The lodge turned out in strength, and the muster was increased by the presence of visiting Freemasons from Victoria. At the church the lodge was met by his Lordship Bishop Perrin, who had kindly come on purpose to address his brother Masons, by the chaplain of United Service lodge, and the choir of the church. The sermon was preached by the Bishop, who pressed home the truth that thoroughness and a high ideal have always been the marks of true Masonry, and urged his brother Masons always to cherish these in connection with the church with which for nearly 1,000 years Freemasonry has been so closely connected. After the service a collection was made for the Protestant Orphans' Home amounting to $15.

THE WORLD OF SPORT.

A Road Race to Sidney in Arrangement—Footballers Re-organize this Evening.

THE WHEEL.

THE VISITORS DEPART.

The last of the cycling visitors who were here for the championship race meeting—that is, all save Esary, of Seattle, who will spend a week or more with Victoria friends—left for home yesterday. One and all express the same genuine and hearty satisfaction at the success of the meeting and with the entertainment by the local club. On Sunday the visitors were taken on a club run in which the lady wheelers participated, and afterwards the party was grouped and photographed by Mr. M. C. Reynard—honorary photographer to the club. With the championship meeting the racing season in Victoria is practically brought to a close, though a club meet may possibly be given in a month or so if the weather holds good, and the V.W.C. will be represented at the Nanaimo, Westminster and Vancouver races. A road race is also on the tapis from the city to Sidney, everyone to start from scratch. It is expected that eight or ten local flyers will participate, and Mr. T. W. Patterson, of the V. & S. has promised a valuable first prize.

HERE AND THERE.

GENERAL GOSSIP OF CURRENT EVENTS.

The annual general meeting of the Victoria Rugby football club will be held in the Clarence hotel this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock.

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Carpenters' tools at Cheapside.

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THE SHOW.

To Day the Nineteenth Annual Agricultural Exhibition Will Be Open to the Public.

A Third More Entries This Year—All Departments Well Filled—Keen Competition.

Since Saturday the interior of the exhibition buildings has undergone a wonderful transformation. Out of an apparent mass of confusion, energetic and intelligent work has evolved order, though not till this forenoon will the finishing touches be given to the exhibits and everything be in readiness for the formal opening. If any person had an impression that the show would in quality or quantity be inferior to last year a glance at the entry list would soon dispel any such idea. With the exception of a few departments the exhibits are far more numerous than at the last exhibition—quite one third more. Cattle, sheep and swine are far in advance of any former year in point of numbers. All the stalls for horses are taken up, though perhaps there are not quite so many animals entered.

There will be no poultry show this year, the house usually devoted to them being used for grains, vegetables, field and dairy produce. This particular place will be one of the most attractive and interesting of the whole show, for here it is that the travelling dairy, under the charge of Mr. J. A. Ruddick, of the Dominion dairy commissioner's department, and his assistant Mr. C. Marker, will practically demonstrate the making of butter and the testing of milk. From 9 30 to 10 in the forenoon and 1 30 to 2 in the afternoon the cream separator will be operated; from 10 to 11 a.m. and 2 to 3 p.m. the churn and butter-maker will be running; and from 11 to 12 m. and 3 to 4 p.m. there will be milk testing. Practical advice on dairying will be given by the gentlemen in charge and Prof. James W. Robertson, dairy commissioner, who arrives in town on Wednesday, is also to give addresses. Dairymen and farmers are invited to bring small samples of milk to be tested, and in a real, live, practical way the whole operation of making butter will be shown.

As last year the lower floor of the main building is principally devoted to manufactures and a very fine display they will make. New ideas have been introduced and though few of the exhibits had been completed yesterday the general effect gave promise of success.

In the carriage and agricultural implement hall there are a good number of entries and the space is all well taken up.

The ladies' department, under the management of the Local Women's Council, is so large that the exhibits have overflowed the large space set aside for them.

Flowers, always one of the great attractions at the fair, will prove particularly so this time, for the display is larger and the plants are set out to better advantage, as more space has been given to this branch. Fruit is exceptionally fine and larger than ever, there being no less than 260 entries in apples and pears alone.

The art department is smaller than it was on the last occasion, but it presents a very pretty appearance. It is one of the few departments that was complete last night. Mr. Rene Quentin, under whose superintendence the department is conducted, has made the most of the pictures and art objects, placing them so that they could be seen to the best advantage.

The school children's show will certainly secure a large share of attention. The excellent map drawing in the competition for pupils in the various schools is uniformly good, and, besides well executed; all the work looks neatly and carefully done.

The restaurant and lunch counter are under Mrs. W. J. Dwyer this year, so that people can procure their meals on the grounds. Mrs. Wilkins manages a light refreshment tent, which is certain to be well patronized. Aunt Sally and the usual side shows for the youngsters are as much in evidence as ever.

The exhibition will be open to the public at noon to-day, the programme for the day being:

2 p.m. Formal opening of the exhibition by Hon. Col. Baker, acting premier of B.C.
8 p.m. Dancing in the pavilion.

An additional attraction for to-day is a polo match, which starts between 4 and 5 o'clock on the driving park grounds.

Horsemen are gathering for the race meet, opening on Thursday. At least 25 horses will take part.

The experimental farm, Agassiz, which under the able management of Mr. T. A. Sharpe has provided practical object lessons for the farmers of the province, will show 91 varieties of apples, some thirty varieties of plums, besides pears and peaches.

The committee appointed by the Fruit Growers' Association to label the fruit on exhibition with the correct names of the different varieties, is this year composed of Messrs. G. W. Henry, Maple Ridge; A. H. B. Macgowan, Vancouver; T. A. Sharpe, Agassiz, and R. M. Palmer, inspector of fruit pests, Victoria.

The Westminster steamer brought down last night a large number of exhibits from the Mainland, mostly fruit and other farm produce, from Westminster and the Lower Fraser.

So far as completed yesterday the following is the

PRIZE LIST.

Business penmanship—1, C. F. Moore; 2, George Chan, North Ward school.

Business penmanship, boys or girls—1, Victoria Douglass, North Ward school; 2, Ethel Young, Victoria West.

High school—Map drawing, Elsie Cartmel; writing, Biblanne Moore.

Public schools—Map drawing, first division, Roberta Reid, Victoria West; second division, Florence Williams, North Ward; third division, Edith H. Bamford, South Park; fourth division, Jennie C. McDonald, North Ward; fifth division, Choo Loy Jong, North Ward

Public schools, writing—First divison, Harriet McKay, South Park; second division, Florence Amy Carter, Girls' Central; third division, Henrietta C. Batchelor, North Ward; fourth division, Beatrice Berryman, Girls' Central; fifth division, Myrtle O. Jones, Girls' Central; sixth division, Edna Rendall, Spring Ridge.

Special school exhibit—South Park school, diploma.

Entries for the horse races close to-night and must be accompanied by full amount of entry money.

THE Presbyterian congregation of East Fernwood turned out in large numbers last evening at a special meeting of the Presbytery of Victoria, convened for the purpose of ordaining Rev. J. C. Forster, the new pastor of St. Columba's, Knox and Cedar Hill churches. The services were very interesting and more than ordinarily impressive. Rev. W. Leslie Clay, minister of St. Andrews, presided and the sermon being preached by Rev. Dr. Robertson, superintendent of missions. Rev. Dr. Campbell addressed the new minister and Rev. D. MacRae, the congregation.

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Its Recent and Rapid Development Upon the Continent.

Before a recent meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers Mr. H. Ward Leonard delivered an interesting address upon electrical engineering developments in France and England as contrasted with those in America. In its commercial development of electricity America is placed first—in fact, far in advance of the old world countries—but considered from an engineering standpoint Mr. Leonard thinks the United States is losing the lead it has thus far held. He lays the responsibility for this condition of affairs almost entirely at the door of the great electrical monopolies, which have stood in the way of progress, and particularly in preventing the trial of devices and systems of which Europe presents varieties unknown to us. He questions what has been done in this country in the way of electrical engineering development since Edison started his three wire lightning distribution at Sunbury, Pa., in 1883, and Westinghouse established his alternating system with 1,000 volt primary and 50 volt secondary a few years later, and Sprague started the Richmond electric railroad in 1887. There has of course been great extension of installation along these lines.

We have, Mr. Leonard says, the best three wire central station plants in the world. Also the best alternating system, converting from 1,000 to 50 volts, but we have practically no other kind of central station to point to. We are operating 500 volt continuous current electric railways at distances for which 2,000 volts should be used instead of 500, and after investing more money in copper per car than the entire cost of the electrical equipment we still lose twice as much energy as is commercial in the line. In England in alternating systems a three wire secondary is used with 100 volts on each side, and, according to Mr. Leonard's view, there was no excuse except patents for a 50 volt two wire secondary originally, and none save the inertia and prejudice of a large corporation for continuing to put in the two wire secondary today.

Rotary transformers are used in several stations in England for a continuous current, high potential multiple are distribution, the secondary being a three wire system, and some American inventions not patented in England are found to have been utilized in central stations there, while they have been neglected in the land of their inception.—Providence Journal.

A Frog With Four Wings.

The curiosity of tropical Africa is the wonderful flying frog, first described by Bishoff of the equatorial African expedition, which returned to Europe in the fall of 1894. This oddity of the reptile family is about the size of a common bullfrog and resembles other members of the order of batrachians in everything but its feet, each of which is webbed and enormously enlarged, so much so as to form splendid substitutes for true wings. The creature has five toes on each of the other two, which makes four separate membranes on each of its hind feet and three on each fore foot, or 14 in all. In his description of it Bishoff says, "Each leg terminates in a sort of fan, and with these the little reptile paddles the air like a locust, or like a partially fledged bird testing its pinions for the first time."

Although somewhat awkward in its flight, the winged frog can dart through the air at a speed of about ten yards per second and can keep itself going forward at that rate for from 10 to 15 seconds. The average distance covered by these spurts of grasshopperlike flight is from 75 to 125 yards, but Bishoff mentions instances where the flying frog cleared sandy stretches 200 yards in width.—St. Louis Republic.

He Denied the Call.

An English army officer tells an amusing story of an incident that occurred at Maidstone many years ago, in the time of the old cavalry depot. On a certain very foggy night there was a complete silence, broken only by the voices of the sentries who, at regular intervals, passed the usual word down the line. The officer woke up just as the usual watch was passing, and this was what he heard: First sentry, "No. 1, and all's well!" Then there was silence for a moment, and a voice called into the darkness, "No. 3, and all's well, and No. 2's asleep!" Before No. 4 could take up the thread of the proceedings a voice in which more than a suspicion of slumber remained cried hurriedly, "No. 2, and all's well, and No. 3's a liar!"

Treacle.

The word treacle has undergone an odd modification. At first it was applied to such decoctions of roots or other substances as were deemed beneficial in medical practice. Then, as these were frequently sweetened, it came to mean any sweet concoction or confection, and lastly, as molasses was the sweetest of all, this name was exclusively applied to sirup.

The Small Brother Again.

Mr. Courtney (flatteringly)—I had the blues when I came here tonight, Miss Fisher, but they are all gone now. You are as good as medicine.

Miss Fisher's Little Brother—Yes; father himself says she'll be a drug in the market if she doesn't catch on to some fellow soon.—Philadelphia Times.

An Irishman, quarreling with an Englishman, told him if he didn't hold his tongue he would "break his impenetrable head and let the brains out of his empty skull."

The sun throws vertical rays on the earth's surface only upon an area equal to about 35 square miles at any one time.

In 1870 the Thames froze solid and a fair was held on the ice. It was kept open for nine weeks.

OFFICIAL WHIPPING.

How Boy Criminals Are Punished by Thrashing In England.

Boys who are found guilty of minor offenses in England are sentenced by the judges to a sound thrashing at the hands of the policeman. Here is a description of it taken from an English paper:

The birch is a very different instrument of torture from the cat. The former is made up of a number of long birch twigs, while the latter is really a whip with nine knotted small cord lashes. When the cat is administered, the prison doctor must be present, but when the birch is put on it is only necessary for the inspector or superintendent of police to witness it, although the parents or near relatives of a boy sentenced to be flogged may be present at the castigation. When a dose of the cat is dealt out, none but those connected with the prison are allowed to be there.

Like the cat the birch may be made a very severe punishment or a comparatively trivial affair, not merely according to the number of strokes, but from the instructions given the constable who is told off to do the flogging. I have seen a boy after six strokes resemble nothing so much as a piece of raw beef and bleeding fearfully, while I have also seen a boy after six strokes merely a trifle red.

Some policemen dread the duty of flogging, and after the first two strokes get a sharp order to "hit the boy and not play with him." Other constables delight in the work and boast of their ability to draw blood at the first stroke.

Various modes of administering the punishment obtain in different parts of the country. In some places boys are placed face downward on a form. One constable holds his arms and head firmly, while another does him the same service with his legs, and the third administers the punishment.

In other prisons the culprit is placed on a constable's back, and as he sits there with his arms around the officer's neck, awaiting "the event," his attitude strikes a spectator more as one of affection than discomfort. Another way is to compel a boy to lean over a chair as if he were praying, then run a strap right around his legs and the legs of the chair, a constable holding his head and arms from the other side.—Brooklyn Eagle.

THROUGH OTHER EYES.

Life at Harvard College From the English Point of View.

The student life of America is eminently an American institution. It has grown up in an odd compound of native manners and foreign influences, which form an essentially new product. It is a good deal more complex in its organization than anything known on the Isis or the Cam. There is more details in it, and consequently less breadth of effect.

The university organizations are innumerable. Men are banded together in college clubs for every conceivable purpose of study or amusement. Their bond of union may be their attempt to talk Greek with the accent of modern Attica, or it may be only a passion for dominos, but it has all the notes of institution in its machinery of committee, president and secretaries. Great variety of life comes from the differences in fortune among the students, but of late years there has been a laudable attempt on the part of the university and college authorities to introduce a more uniform simplicity. Plain living is the cry, and with this secured it is believed the thinking will take care of itself.

At Harvard some time ago Professor Palmer tried to discover how far the living had departed from the philosophic standard by asking some hundreds of students for a return of their annual expenditure. The answers showed that Harvard at least had nothing to be ashamed of. Many of the students, less than a fourth, spent less than £130 a year; some less than £100. The average probably did not amount to the £200 a year which the professor regards as an entirely adequate allowance for both ease and renfiement. Yale is less costly than Harvard, so these institutions at least are not open to the reproach that they have introduced the millionaire into American university life.—London News.

The Duke of York's Baby.

There is a report that the Duke of York's baby is deaf and dumb, but everybody will hope that it is not true, and that the royal suckling will talk and hear as well as anybody when the time comes. If not, the disability will not be without its alleviations. Only a few of his line have said anything good or heard anything good of themselves in six generations. One of his succession earned this epitaph, which he may deserve whether he talks or not:

Here lies Prince Fred,
Who was alive and is dead.
Had it been his father
I had much rather.
Had it been his brother
Sooner than the other.
Had it been his sister
There's no one would have missed her.
Had it been his whole generation
All the better for the nation.
But as it's only Fred,
Who was alive and is dead,
There is nothing to be said.

—New York Tribune.

A Trick of the Huntsman.

During a visit to Montana a prominent Chicago gentleman went with a party just starting for a grand "hunt for big game in the Yellowstone region." He remarked to the leader, "You cannot hunt in Yellowstone park." "Oh, no," said the leader. "We go outside the limits of the park, and if the game won't come to use we know how to manage to make it come." Such excursions are not uncommon, and it will not be strange if hungry Indians should occasionally imitate their white brethren.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Too Dense For Him.

Stage Villain—Aha! The plot thickens.

Disgusted Auditor—Then I'm off! Can't make head or tail of it now, and I'll never see through it if it gets any thicker.—London Tit-Bits.

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TIME TABLE NO. 27

Takes effect June 21st, 1895

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LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria —Monday at 13.15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

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JOHN IRVING, Manager.
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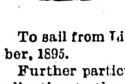

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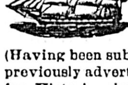

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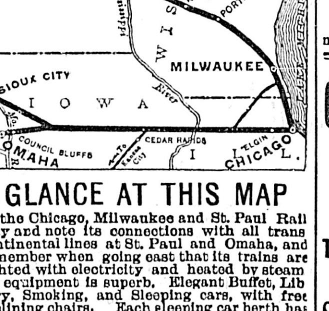

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Victoria, B.C., August 19th, 1895. au20

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"	Vancouver	Oct 12
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"	Lake Winnipeg	Oct 9

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"	Anchoria	Oct 5
North Ger. Lloyd	Kaiser William II	Sept 28
"	Aller	Oct 1
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Cor. Fort and Government Sts., Victoria, B.C.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y.

TIME TABLE No. 24,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, April 5th 1895. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

NORTH BOUND—READ DOWN No. 2 Pass. Daily	No. 4 Pass. Sat. & Sun	Ft Vic.	STATIONS.	Ft Wel.	SOUTH BOUND—READ UP No. 1 Pass. Daily.	No. 3 Pass Sat. & Sun.
De. 8.00 am	De. 4 50 pm		Victoria	78	Ar. 12.20 pm	Ar. 8.30 pm
" 8.04	" 4.55	1	Russell's	77	" 12.16	" 8.25
" 8.14	" 5.03	4	Esquimalt	74	" 12.06	" 8.18
" 8.17	" 5.06	5	Stewart's	73	" 12.03	" 8.15
" 8.20	" 5.09	6	Parson's Bridge	72	" 12.00	" 8.12
" 8.27	" 5.15	8	Langford	70	" 11.53	" 8.06
" 8.37	" 5.24	11	Goldstream	67	" 11.43	" 7.57
" 9.05	" 5.52	20	Summit Siding	58	" 11.15	" .30
" 9.30	" 6.14	28	Shawnigan Lake	50	" 10.50	" .10
" 9.40	" 6.22	31	Cobble Hill	47	" 10.40	" .02
" 9.55	" 6.31	35	McPherson's	43	" 10.25	" 6.53
" 10.05	" 6.38	38	Koksilah	40	" 10.15	" 6.46
" 10.10	" 6.42	40	Duncan's	38	" 10.10	" 6.42
" 10.20	" 6.49	43	Somenos	35	" 10.00	" .35
" 10.27	" 6.58	47	Westholme	31	" 9.53	" 6.26
" 10.42	" 7.08	52	Chemainus	28	" 9.38	" 6.15
" 11.00	" 7.26	59	Oyster Bay Siding	19	" 9.20	" 5.57
" 11.09	" 7.35	62	Oyster Bay	16	" 9.11	" 5.48
" 11.40	" 8.08	73	Nanaimo	5	" 8.40	" 5.15
Ar. 12.00 n'n	Ar. 8.25	78	Wellington		De. 8.20 am	De. 5.00 pm

On Saturdays and Sundays

Cheap excursion tickets will be issued to and from all points, good to return not later than Sunday.

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A Little Bundle of Blazing Straw Frightens the Wildest Beast.

A writer who paid a visit to Jamrach's wild beast establishment in London has this to say:

Now, there are at the moment I am writing two beautiful Bengal tiger cubs in one of the cages. The cubs are old enough to be dangerous, so if I tell you the way I saw them put into the cage they now inhabit you will know a little of how wild animals are transferred from one place of confinement to another.

The boxes that tigers and lions come in are not very big—just big enough to allow the inmates to lie comfortably. This, besides saving freight, prevents the animal from using his full strength, and perhaps in case of fright or frenzy from bursting the box.

Well, the box with the tiger cubs was placed in front of and partly in the open cage. A sliding door in the box was then lifted, and the cubs darted forward at the meat that was lying in the far corner of the cage to tempt them. Meanwhile the box was quickly withdrawn, and the barred gate of the cage was quickly shut.

It is easy, however, to transfer an animal from a confined box to a large cage. He is going then from captivity to comparative liberty. It is not so easy—indeed it is extremely difficult—to get him to go through the reverse process, to walk from a large cage into a box. If there be time, he can always be made to do it quietly enough.

Give him no food in the large cage, but put it in the box. He may even hold out for days. Hunger, however, will prove in the end stronger than his fears, and he will, with a growl, make a dash for the joints, when the trap will be closed against him.

It isn't always possible to wait for hunger to make him submit. Perhaps the animal is wanted tomorrow, and the dealer has got the order only today and must catch the train with him at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. What is to be done now?

Here man's superior intelligence shows itself. It is fear that prevents the animal from entering the box, and this fear must be overcome by a greater fear. This is an easy matter to the animal dealer, with his knowledge of animals.

He simply sets light to a little bundle of dry straw in the cage. This is enough. The animal's fear of fire makes him fly at any outlet of escape.—Little Folks.

A Funny Composition.

A newspaper recently printed this funny composition, which was written by a Japanese boy and was sent to the paper by the English teacher in Japan to whom it was handed by the boy. It was on the whale:

"The whale live in the sea and ocean of all the country. He is a large and strong in among of kinds of all the fish, and its length reach to 90 foot from 70 foots, and its color almost is a dark, and he has a large head. When swim in the up water, he is so large as Island. When struck the water on angry, he is so voice as ring great deal thunder. If he danced make the storm without winds, and also blow the water almost lay down the fog on the weather. His the form is proper to live for his front legs make hire and after legs is no, and the tails is a Hire that open on the up waters, and the mouth have no leaves, but have leaves that is a hard narrow beard as with horns. His bodys though is a fish, but he is not a fish, but is a creatures. His leaves is named whaleleaves. The men make the everything with it. Every years to seven or eight month from four to five month, the whaler men catch on the sea or ocean. He many live on the sea of North-sea-way or five island, of Hirado on Higen Country in Japan. Written by T. Hirakawa.

"P. S.—The tell of the whale is more, but I do not know fully to tell."

Won by Girls.

This year the three prizes offered for the best year's work in the Brooklyn public schools have all been won by girls. Each will receive a year's membership in the Brooklyn library. These are known as the mayor's prizes and were established some years ago by Seth Low. The successful pupils are Elizabeth A. Flanagan of public school No. 1; E. Frances Southart of No. 15 and Mabel E. Kennedy of No. 26.

Her First Picnic.

Little Mabel, aged 4, came home from her first picnic a very tired little girl.

"Did you have a good time, dear?"

"Yes, auntie. We played and ate things all the time, but wasn't it queer, auntie, we didn't pick any nicks?"

Both Have Tails.

Ernest was 4 years old when he saw his first monkey, which was on the street with a hand organ man. He rushed into the house, saying: "Mamma, mamma! Him looks like a man, but him am a kitty."—Youth's Companion.

The Juggling Elephant.

An elephant sat on some kegs
And juggled glass bottles and eggs.
And he said, "I surmise
This occasions surprise—
But, oh, dear, how it tires one's legs!"
—St. Nicholas.

AN EXPRESSMAN'S HARVEST.

Queer Things the Northern Soldiers Sent Home From the War.

The greatest harvest reaped by the principal express companies was during the late war of the rebellion, when everything was sent and received by express, no matter what the cost. The writer of this sketch had a varied and somewhat tedious experience in the business during that protracted disturbance, and was witness to many scenes of somber and many of a humorous character. These were mostly seen in the returns from the seat of war just after a battle.

Sometimes after a victorious Federal action, or the capture of a rebel town, the officers, as well as the men, made a practice of sending home trophies they had captured. These often were household effects of comparatively little value, and cost the recipients at home a large tax for express transportation. Sometimes live stock was sent, consisting largely of dogs and donkeys, sometimes a singing bird, or fowls of peculiar breed. On one occasion a stalwart negro fellow was received at the Boston office, sent by an officer who found he could do nothing else with him and thought he might be of use on his farm at home. The grinning darky had a card firmly fastened about his neck, giving the address where to land him, with this direction: "Feed and grub this nigger all that he needs."

It was sad, however, to see the rough boxes often piled up outside the office containing the remains of the boys in blue sent home for burial among the scenes which they had left a short time before for the southern battlefields. These relics often proved a burdensome cost to their bereaved families at home. We were always glad to forward remittances of money to the oftentimes distressed ones at home. The business transacted by some of the big expresses, Adams & Co., for instance, was of enormous proportions, and added largely to the wealth of many proprietors, the terrible war proving a godsend to them at least.—Boston Transcript.

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MUNICIPAL.

List of Lands and Improvements within the Corporation of the City of Victoria, to be sold for Taxes and Costs on the 1st day of October, 1895, at the City Hall, Victoria, at 11 o'clock a.m., in pursuance of the Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale By-Law, 1895, unless in the meantime the arrears of Taxes and costs due in respect of each lot in the schedule hereinunder written be paid.

Lot,	Block.	Section.		Amount of Taxes.	Amount of Costs	Person Assessed.	Registered Owner.
33	3		Land and Improvements	$102 21	$15 33	W. G. Bowman	Wm. G. Bowman
West part 87	26		Land	34 51	5 18	Chas. Hayward	M. Moses
92	26		Land and Improvements	47 91	7 19	Jno. Mortimer	John Mortimer
569	41		Do do	44 60	6 70	Mrs. C. C. Mackay	Thos Charles and Christine Mackay
9 of 602-3	M		Do do	34 08	5 11	Chan Lung	James Porter
10 do	do		Do do	34 08	5 11	Do	Do
11 do	do		Do do	34 08	5 11	Do	Do
12 do	do		Do do	49 37	7 40	Do	Do
763	O		Do do	31 47	4 72	Jno. Stevens	John Stephens
East part 791	10		Land and Improvements	14 91	2 23	Not known	Not registered
East ½ of 878	J		Do do	16 68	2 50	Lucie Thiebault	Lucie Thiebault
997	17		Land	18 34	2 75	Est. J. Montero	Joseph Montero
1007	17		Land and Improvements	24 69	3 70	Do	Do
13 of 1257	T		Do do	41 96	6 30	Winnifred Gibson	Winnifred Gibson
1352	47		Land	45 87	6 88	Jno. Cameron	Alexander Cameron
1385	47		Do	45 87	6 88	Do	Do
1366	47		Do	45 87	6 88	Do	Do
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9	2	Christ Church Est	Do	16 81	2 52	Jas. Ewing	James Ewing
1825	62		Do	22 93	3 44	J. M. Wark	Wm. Charles and James R Anderson.
1826	62		Land and Improvements	26 44	3 96	Do	Do
1827	62		Do do	26 44	3 96	Do	Do
1828	62		Land	22 93	3 44	Do	Do
1835	62		Do	18 35	2 75	Do	Do
1836	62		Do	18 35	2 75	Do	Do
1837	62		Do	18 35	2 75	Do	Do
1838	62		Do	18 35	2 75	Do	Do
13 of Suburban	5 acre	lot No. 9	Land and Improvements	23 96	3 60	L. M. Lapoint	Grace R Davey
31 Do	do	do 19	Do do	7 17	1 07	S. E. King	S. E. B. King
32 Do	do	do 19	Land	6 12	92	Do	Do
63 Do	do	do 19	Do	6 12	92	Do	Do
64 Do	do	do 19	Do	6 12	92	Do	Do
65 Do	do	do 19	Land and Improvements	17 32	2 60	Do	Do
66 Do	do	do 19	Do do	13 25	1 99	Do	Do
13 Do	do	do E ½ 20	Do do	20 06	3 00	D. McPhadden	George Stelly
½ 2	16	Beckley Farm	Land	10 70	1 60	W. Shears	W. Shears
3	16	do	Land and Improvements	32 50	4 87	Do	Do
6 of 7-9	22	do	Land	12 23	1 84	Thos. Corsan	Thos. Corsan
	66	Fairfield	Do	136 33	20 45	C. C. Pemberton	Sir James Douglas
	Part 71	do	Land and Improvements	96 92	14 63	Do	Do
39	Johnson's Sub-dv. 19&68		Land	9 17	1 37	E. Quesnelle	Angus R Johnston
41	do	Do	Do	9 18	1 38	J. H. Wark	Do
6	Chandler Estate 63		Do	8 41	1 26	W. H. Philpot	Wm. H. Philpot
4		71 & 80	Land and Improvements	4 59	69	Vancouver Island Building Society	Wm. Robertson
9 of 2-3	1	74	Land	5 35	80	Clara L. Dodd	Clara L. Dodd
10 do	1	74	Do	5 35	80	Do	Do
11 do	1	74	Do	5 35	80	Do	Do
12 do	1	74	Do	5 35	80	Do	Do
28	3	74	Do	4 59	69	M. J. McKenzie	T. Davie
29	3	74	Do	4 59	69	Do	Do
5	4	74	Do	2 29	34	W. Cook	Wm. Cook
57	5	74	Do	5 35	80	Talbot Devereux	Kitty Welsh
23	K	74	Do	7 65	1 15	A. Bodley	Alfred Bodley
24	do	74	Do	6 12	92	Do	Do
25	do	74	Land and Improvements	6 12	92	Do	Do
North Part	M	74	Do do	67 79	10 17	H G. Gerrard	Alice B. Gerrard
33	69-72	Spring Ridge	Do do	13 94	2 10	Robt. Oates	Robt. Oates
43	do	Do	Do do	12 41	1 86	Mrs. M. R. Robbins	Clara O. Haggerty
6	2-3	Fernwood	Do do	8 41	1 26	Jas. Peterson	Jas. Peterson
74	4-5 &c	Do	Land	6 88	1 03	H. Barwick	Wm. Wilson
75	do	Do	Do	8 40	1 26	Do	Do
18 of 1	7-9	Do	Land and Improvements	8 03	1 20	Mrs. E. J. Hopper	D. R. Young and J. M. Bartlett.
4 of 3	do	Do	Land	4 59	69	Miss M. E. Bulman	Maggie E. Bulman
9	13-17	Do	Do	6 12	92	Hugh Stewart	A. MacLaughlin
10	do	Do	Do	6 12	92	W. Sharp	Wm. Wilson
74	21	Do	Do	73 39	11 00	P. S. Fenerty, et al	Sarsfield Fenerty, et al
	22	Do	Land and Improvements	112 19	16 83	Do	Do
	36	Do	Do do	56 43	8 46	Do	Do
17	53 & 64	Do	Do do	2 34	95	Silas Holland	Silas Holland
3 of 59	69	Do	Land	1 53	23	Susan Eckhert	Geo. L. Powers
117	69	Do	Do	1 67	25	F. W. Garland	F. V Garland
118	69	Do	Do	2 09	31	Do	Do
17	1, 7, 8, 9	4 Work Estate	Do	15 67	2 35	Royal Agnew	Loo Chung Shong and Chow Kai Chong
2	D	Do	Do	9 17	1 38	Thos. Pamphlet	Thos. Pamphlet
3	D	Do	Land and Improvements	16 18	2 43	Do	Do
13	Y	Do	Do	21 40	3 21	Coughlan & Mason	J. J. Lemon and B. and A. Gonnason
North part of 18	19	4 Hillside Ext	Do	45 87	6 88	W. Robertson	W. Robertson
		Do	Land and Improvements	47 26	7 09	Do	Do
18	31	4 Hillside Farm	Land and Improvements	8 16	1 22	Wm F. Strong	F. W. Strong
9	1	Finlayson Estate.	Do do	15 92	2 39	Henry W. Doscher	Henry W. Doscher
10	1	do	Do do	16 62	2 50	Do	Do
3	1 2	4 Saanich Ext	Land and Improvements	41 51	6 23	Coughlan & Mason	Coughlan & Mason
17	15-8 &c	25	Land	2 68	40	Margaret Tillar.	Margaret Tillar
18	do	25	Do	3 06	46	Mrs. E. Summerfield.	Henry Croft and E. B. C. Hannington
74	do	25	Do	2 29	34	G. A. McBain	Wm. H. Philpot.
22	1	26 7, 1-5, 22-40, 29 30	Land and Improvements	3 00	45	A. V. Wover	Emanuel Levy et al
1	5	do	Land	2 66	40	J. Haggerty	John Haggerty
2	5	do	Do	2 29	34	Do	Do
7	5	do	Land and Improvements	3 44	52	Do	Do
8	5	do	Land	3 06	46	Do	Do
	16	5	Do	19 57	2 94	Coughlan & Mason	Jno. Coughlan & Geo. Mason
	18	5	Land and Improvements	36 18	5 43	Do	Do do
	19	5	Land	29 35	4 40	Do	Do do
	20	5	Land and Improvements	38 63	5 80	Do	Do do
	21	5	Land	30 58	4 58	Do	Do do
13	do	10 Victoria West	Land	3 82	57	Do	E. J. Salmon
17	do	do	Do	3 82	57	D. G. McKenzie	Do
25	do	do	Do	3 82	57	R. Kenny	Do
37	do	do	Do	3 82	57	Robt. Whiteley	Do
¾ 7	8-12	do	Do	4 59	69	E. R. Bennett	John Fraser
¾ 12	do	do	Do	3 06	46	J. Brown	Wm. Hy. Mason
4	34-8	31	Land	4 59	69	J. A. Andrew	John A. Andrew
22	do	31	Land and Improvements	11 65	1 75	Emily Walker	Emily Walker
14	Lime Bay 31		Do do	4 59	69	Geo. Crocker	Geo. Crocker
South Part 6	Springfield 31		Land	4 59	69	Ida T. Martin	Ida T. Martin
10			Land and Improvements	34 01	5 10	Do	Do
28	7-10	32	Land	1 29	20	R. Shore	Richard Shore
3	11-12	32	Do	6 12	92	E. J. Christie	E. J. Christie
Part 4	do	32	Do	5 35	80	Do	Do
8	18 19	32	Land and Improvements	3 82	57	Alex McKay and Kenneth Cannell.	Alex. McKay and Kenneth Cannell

Dated at City Hall, Victoria, B.C., City Collector's Office, August 29, 1895.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

NOTICES.

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893," as Amended by the "Fire Insurance Policy Amendment Act, 1895."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to Secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance" from the 1st day of August, 1895, to the 1st day of October, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
30th July, 1895. au3-2m

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year 1895.

FALL ASSIZES.

Clinton	Thursday	26th September
Richfield	Monday	30th September
Kamloops	Monday	7th October
Vernon	Monday	14th October
Lytton	Friday	11th October
New Westminster	Wednesday	6th November
Vancouver	Monday	11th November
Victoria	Tuesday	19th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	26th November

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NOTICE

A COURT of Assize and Nisi Prius, and of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, will be held under the provisions of the "Supreme Court Act," as amended by the "Supreme Court Amendment Act, 1894," at the Town of Clinton on Wednesday, the 18th day of September, proximo, in lieu of the Court of Assize appointed by the said Act to be held at the said Town on the 26th day of September, 1895.

By command.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
22nd August, 1895. au23-d&w-td

NOTICE.

All parties interested in funds in the Supreme Court at Victoria, or in Estates for which J. C. Prevost was acting as Receiver, Administrator or Trustee, and in respect of which any balances may be due by him, are requested to supply full particulars by letter addressed to

W. J. GOEPEL,
Supreme Court,
se7-tf Victoria.

THE VICTORIA MINERAL CLAIM.

Situated on Mineral Creek, Alberni.

Take notice that I, Elizabeth Jane Saunders, Free Miner's Certificate No. 58,384, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Government of British Columbia, to purchase the Victoria Mineral Claim, situated on Mineral Creek, in the Alberni Mineral Division of Alberni District.

And further take notice that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the expiration of this notice.

Dated August 16th, 1895. au17 2m

THE WARSPITE MINERAL CLAIM.

Situated on Mineral Creek, Alberni.

Take notice that I, Catherine Greenwood, Free Miner's Certificate No. 59,237, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Government of British Columbia to purchase the Warspite Mineral Claim, situated on Mineral Creek, in the Alberni Mineral Division of Alberni District.

And further take notice that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before expiration of this notice.

Dated August 16th au17-2m

THE ALBERNI MINERAL CLAIM.

Situated on Mineral Creek, Alberni.

Take notice that I, Elizabeth Jane Saunders, Free Miner's Certificate No. 53,379, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Government of British Columbia to purchase the Alberni Mineral Claim, situated on Mineral Creek, in the Alberni Mineral Division of Alberni District.

And further take notice, that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before expiration of this notice.

Dated August 2, 1895. au2-2mo

THE CHICAGO MINERAL CLAIM.

Situated on Mineral Creek, Alberni.

Take notice that I, B. H. John, Free Miner's Certificate No. 58,349, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Government of British Columbia to purchase the Chicago Mineral Claim, situated on Mineral Creek, in the Alberni Mining Division of Alberni District.

And further take notice, that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the expiration of this notice.

Dated August 2, 1895. au3-2mo

NOTICE.

Cormorant St, between Blanchard and Amelia Sts., and Farquhar St., between Blanchard and Quadra Sts., is closed to Public Traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
se10 City Engineer.

NOTICE.

Belleville St., between McClure St. and Birdcage Walk, is closed to Public Traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
aug 3 City Engineer.

NOTICE.

Menzies Street, between Belleville St. and Superior Street is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
u3tf City Engineer

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Sept. 15, 1895.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	46°	Mean 50°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	44°		
9 a. m..	52.	Highest 60°	5 a. m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	58		1 p. m.—4 N,
5 p. m..	54°	Lowest 43°	9 p. m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	59°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Cloudy
Sunshine—24 min.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Sept. 16, 1895.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	50°	Mean 54°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	48°		
9 a. m..	54°	Highest 62°	5 a.m.—4 W.
1 p. m..	56°		1 p.m.—Calm.
5 p. m..	58°	Lowest 48°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	56		Rain—.01.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Sunshine—4 hr. 6 min.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. WALLA WALLA from San Francisco—Miss King, Mrs H R Brown, J Meikle, Miss M Foster, A Phelps, Miss Gamble, Miss Ray Frank, Mrs Dr Hall, T A King, wife and daughter, A King, J McDonald, W J Jones, G W Marshall, Mrs J McNamara, Rev E P Fisher.

Per Steamer CHARMER from Vancouver—A Marker, M Hall, R B Archibald, A Frederick, Jas Power, Miss English, Geo Dickson, Miss Barrett, Mrs Askew, A A Argyle, J J Rowland, Jos Nicholson, W Marvatt, D H Anderson, Wm Garden, A B H Macgowan, Mrs Capt Lee, C Dickenson, C W Ward, Wm Dee, J H Bonslow, D W Henry, Thos A Sharpe, A E McLaren, C Kipp, C N Davidson, F Forrest, W H Whitaker, John Kirkpatrick, H Douglas, H R McDonald, M C Ireland, J Pearson, Mrs Pearson, Miss Walker, Mrs Walker, Miss Forrest, A W Foster, Mrs Forbes, Prof Frank J Smith, Miss Archer, Mrs Chas Doering, J E Howison, M A Harrison, J M LeClaire.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—H Johnson and wife, Miss Johnson, Mrs De Soncy, Miss Olson, R Busey and wife, D M McDonald, S W Fenton, E V Bodwell, D H Adams, G Goldberg, W J Anderson, Miss Milne, W Johnson, S McCurdy, Miss Prince.

Per Steamer SEHOME from the Sound—F C Christianer, W Wheeler, B McDermott, G A Large, E Walters.

Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—C R Whitlemore, N D Macaulay and wife, N Stround, Mrs Dunbar, A D Smith, Miss Melster, W Q Buflington and wife, A R Gater, seven Chinese.

Per steamer R. P. RITHET, from Westminster—Mrs Blackburn, Miss Carlisle, Mr and Mrs Calder, Miss Wintermute, Miss Matthews, Mrs McCaulay, Mr and Mrs R Gosse, Miss McKillican, Mr and Mrs Ritchie, Mrs Creighton, Miss Wilson, Miss McKenzie, Mrs Armstrong, Mrs Hay, Mrs Lewis, Mrs Kickhoff, Mrs Tretheway, Mrs Beams, Miss Smith, Miss Rankin, Miss M Bone, Miss Insley, Mrs Ross, Mrs Carter, Mrs and Miss Robson, Mr and Mrs Faulkner, Miss F Sexsmith, Mrs C Sexsmith, Mrs Bowler, C A Ross, Geo Johnston, J Coote, J J Smith, C McLean, A R Langley, J Thompson, T Arlington, H Brennan, J Quinn, W Moore, J Perdue, Geo Black, H Kipp, W Hornby, W Shuttleworth, J Allan, E Hutcherson, J Bone, J Chase, Geo McKinlay, Rev Hall, J Tomboline, T De Port, T Woods, J Richardson, A H Menzies, W Gummer, J McKay Smith and A De P Taylor.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. WALLA WALLA from San Francisco—Blackie & McKinnon, C A Bossi, D H R & Co, Erskine W & Co, F R Stewart, Fell & Co, Gun Fook Yuen, Gilmore & McC, H B Co, H A Lilley, H Short & Son, J & A Clearihue, John Barnsley & Co, J McDonald, J A Ritchie, J H Todd & Son, Kwong Hing Lung, Mrs H L Helmcken, Okell & Morris Jam Co, Pacific Can Co, Pither & Leiser, R McQuade & Son, R Baker & Son, R P Rithet & Co, S Schoen, Speed Bros, S Leiser, T N Hibben & Co, Thos Shaw, Tai Yuen, Wilson Bros, Yuen Lung, Washburn Mower Mfg Co, D Diamond, Wm Titjen, C Martin, Hamilton Powder Co, Lung Kee, Mrs C E Hall, Yick Chong C S Philp, F R Stewart, J E Chipman, McMillan & Hamilton, Osmond Skrine & Co, Standard Oil Co, Winch & Bower, Wells Fargo Co.

Per Steamer CHARMER from Vancouver—E & N R R Co, Geo Powell, Langley & Co, B Williams, E G Prior & Co, Lenz & Leiser, G & M, H L Salmon, W Graham D Spencer, C Lang, Wm Wilby, Mrs E H Small, J Partridge, Geo Powell, Sidney Shore, Johns Bros, Samuel Sea, R Lettice, J Fullerton, Weiler Bros, Simon Leiser, J Hutcheson & Co, J Maynard, E C Wetmore, T Haughton Turner Beeton & Co, Ames Holden Co, A B Erskine, J H Baker, J Colbert, R P Rithet, A Sheret, Hong Lee, P McQuade, R W Higginbotham, R J Nott, T Turner, Thomas Shaw, William Lough, Miss Walker.

Per Steamer SEHOME from the Sound—Erskine Wall & Co, S & Co, B & K M Co, Hastie & B.

Per steamer ROSALIE, from the Sound—Campbell & Co, Leiser & Hamburger, Hutcheson & Co, B Williams & Co, F Lenz & Co, S Schoen, S W R Dalby, R H Jamieson, Perry & Turner, Brackman & Ker M Co, Sylvester Feed Co.

Per Str CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—McMillan & H, Langley & Co, E Wall & Co, J T Hoy, H J F Rogers, J A Ritchie.

Per Steamer GEO. E. STARR from the Sound—Campbell & Co, Leiser & H, Hutchinson & Co, B Williams & Co, F Sere & Co, S Schoen, S W R Dalby, R H Jamieson, Perry & Turner, Brackman & K, Sylvester Feed Co.

Per steamer R. P. RITHET, from Westminster—S Leiser & Co, Geo Everton, J S Smith, H Kipp, Okell & Morris, L White & Co, Dept Agriculture, J A Morrison, Hudson's Bay Co, W J Pendray, J Brennan, Mrs G Leishman, Langley & Co, J H Todd & Son, B & K Milling Co, F R Stewart & Co, E Gowdy, Hang Wo Hing Kee, J & A Clearihue, R B Oxley, G McKinlay, Driard Hotel, J Tollick, J Faulkner, J Tamerline, Baker & Son, Kwong On Sing, Victoria Chem Works, H Drummond, T Redding, Thos Earle, D H Ross, order W Gummer, R Grutt and Dom Exp Co.

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BIRTH.

MCNEILL—In this city on Monday, the 16th instant, the wife of L. McNeill, of a daughter.

DIED.

HALL—In this city on the 16th inst., Verna May, infant daughter of Richard and Louisa Hall, aged 4 months.

The funeral will leave the residence, 94 Pembroke street, at 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, the 18th instant.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

All Tenders for Civic Supplies to Be Dealt With Publicly in Future.

View Street Paving to Go On—The Oaklands Fire Hall—The Legal Advisers.

At the regular weekly council meeting last evening there were present Mayor Teague, presiding, and Ald. Cameron, Bragg, Williams, Wilson, Macmillan and Humphrey.

ALD. BRAGG, rising to a question of privilege, called attention to a letter from Ald. Macmillan which appeared in the COLONIST last week in connection with the sewer pipe contract, and which he said not only bristled with figures which were not in accordance with the facts, but used only the weak argument, "you're another," in making reflections upon other aldermen. He thought that if any member of the board had any criticism of another to make, he should express himself at the meetings of the board and not first rush into print. He contended that so far at least as the electric light committee, of which he is chairman, is concerned, the argument "you're another" does not apply.

ALD MACMILLAN argued at length that Ald. Bragg's committee had done as alleged in his letter.

An invitation to attend at the opening of the exhibition to-day was accepted, the Mayor remarking, "You get your tickets at the wicket, before you go in, gentlemen." An application that the annual grant to the exhibition association should be forthwith mailed to the treasurer, was referred to the finance committee, Ald. Cameron declaring that the corporation is not, so far as he is aware, committed to the grant.

Mrs. Mary Hooper, Lansdowne road, applied for exemption from taxation on her property, if, as she believed, people over 60 are exempt. She will be informed that the exemption does not apply to real estate.

Eberts & Taylor, city solicitors, wrote reporting the receipt of demands from Thornton Fell for $160 for costs in four assessment appeals in which he had appeared on behalf of appellants; and from Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, who appeared for Senator Macdonald, for $40. Referred to finance committee.

The city assessor reported on the street paving assessments, as follows:

	No.	Assessment.
Broad Street—		
Against the assessment	10	$ 229,680
Non-petitioners	6	114,215
Fort Street—		
Against the assessment	9	211,905
Non-petitioners	4	73,335
Yates Street—		
Against the assessment	29	687,000
Non-petitioners	7	124,660
Government Street—		
Against the assessment	33	1,015,870
Non-petitioners	7	147,785
View Street—		
Against the assessment	4	82,350
Non petitioners	2	86,200

He stated that, as will be seen from the above, the assessment has been defeated in every case except that of View street.

ALD. WILLIAMS moved that the work of block-paving View street be proceeded with. He thought a good opportunity would thus be presented to make a test of block pavement, and stated that if this street be paved he will have the blocks extended across Broad street, to his building, which faces View.

After Ald. Macmillan and Bragg had spoken in its favor the motion was adopted.

Electric light superintendent Hutchison reported that as the light desired at the corner of Beta and Alpha streets would be on the Victoria West circuit, which is already fully loaded, it cannot be placed. He also reported that a spare armature is required; and he advised that a quantity of old material be sold. Referred to committee.

H. Fairall wrote complaining that the E. & N. railroad occupies a street in Victoria West, to the exclusion of vehicular traffic; and W. J Ledingham wrote with reference to the same matter that the railway people had told him, when a member of the council, that the road is closed for safety only, and will be opened when required. Referred to streets committee and city barristers.

Tenders for police clothing were received, from J. W. Creighton, W. D. Kinnaird, Wm. Stewart and Thomas & Grant, each enclosing a variety of samples with prices attached. There were two tenders for boots—H. Mansell at $6, and Geo. H. Maynard at $5½. Referred to committee to award.

A petition received in response to the invitation for tenders for printing was read. This asked that the work be divided amongst the several printing offices in the city, and stated the prices at which it would be done. Referred to the printing committee.

C. E. King and twelve other dairymen wrote requesting the council to postpone action on the dairymen's by-law for two weeks, while they look into the matter. Request granted.

A petition from residents of Oaklands asking that the Mewburn site on the Lansdowne road be chosen for the proposed fire hall, was received and tabled.

Several routine reports from committees were received and adopted. A report from the finance committee recommending that the claim of Rev. T. W. Glover for compensation for being struck by a street car in Victoria West, be not entertained, was also adopted.

The fire wardens reported amongst other things that the tender of F. C. Holden for five miles of copper wire has been accepted.

The market committee in their report stated that the bill for light for the Salvation Army food and shelter home in the city market building was for August $28 85, and that it would certainly increase during the winter months. They objected to having this charged against the market. It was decided that the Army be informed that they must pay for the lighting in future.

A report from the streets committee declared that in the matter of Tom Kains' letters with reference to the lane between Menzies and Lewis streets the city barristers see no occasion for the city to interfere. They did not recommend the construction of a six foot cement sidewalk on Pandora street, the city to contribute 7½ cents per square foot, there being no funds for the purpose. This last matter was referred back for further consideration.

With reference to the proposed Oaklands fire hall the committee recommended that as the money would come out of the streets appropriation it would be better to lay a four-foot sidewalk, and to send out a hose reel if any resident will house it. After a long discussion the matter was laid over for a week on the deciding vote of the Mayor, the other "ayes" being Ald. Wilson, Bragg and Williams. The point in dispute is whether the money available shall be laid out for a proper shed to house the reel, or for a sidewalk.

ALD BRAGG moved that in future whenever tenders are called for for a supply of material they shall be laid before the city council before any contract in excess of $50 is awarded. His idea was, he said, to prevent a repetition of the sewer pipe contract affair, that being claimed to be according to the present rule. At Ald. Macmillan's suggestion the resolution was amended to read: "That for all purchases of material for city purposes exceeding $50, tenders be called in a local daily and such tenders be opened before the council." This was adopted unanimously, though Ald. Bragg expressed himself as not sure that the change was an improvement, as in some instances the plan might not work well.

ALD. BRAGG moved that the city engineer be asked to report upon the best manner of safe-guarding against accident because of the open water course on the Lansdowne road. Carried.

ALD WILSON inquired why the gentleman chosen as city solicitor some weeks ago has not yet entered upon his duties.

THE MAYOR said the hitch occurred because of the desire to lay down a hard and fast rule as to the duties of the office.

ALD CAMERON called the attention of the Mayor, as a police commissioner, to the fact that some persons have been sticking posters on the electric light poles—for instance on the street leading to the park.

The council adjourned at 10:40 p.m.

DURRANT'S TRIAL.

An Old Lady Who Rode in the Car With Durrant and His Victim Identifies the Prisoner.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16. — For eight weeks the Durrant trial has been dragging its slow length along, and to-day the case entered upon the ninth. Durrant's counsel are unable to persuade Mrs. Elizabeth Crossett to modify her testimony regarding her ride in the Valencia street car on the afternoon of April 3. The old lady is as sure of the day as of the fact that she rode on the same car with Durrant and tried to attract his attention from the girl who was with him. Mrs. Crossett's visit on the following day was to the home of her son-in-law in Alameda. She perfectly remembers the day she went, and her friends, who went with her to the ferry, will be able to corroborate her.

Despite the most condemnatory evidence thus far, the counsel for the defence still maintain that they have something conclusive in the prisoner's favor. The prisoner's parents have apparently lost none of their confidence in their son's innocence, and although the defendant seems to realize the weight of the case against him, he is as unmoved as ever. The police have at last identified Durrant's unknown girl admirer, who attends court every day and furnishes him with flowers. She is Rosalind Holland, daughter of well-to-do people living at Oakland. She knew Durrant before the murder, and says she believes in his innocence. It was suggested that perhaps the funds for Durrant's defence were supplied by this young woman, but it is doubtful if she could control a sufficient amount.

VICTORIA'S EXCURSIONISTS.

Movements of the Board of Trade Delegation—Trip Over the Kaslo and Slocan Railway—Among the Mines.

BELL'S CAMP, Sept. 16.—(Special)—At Seventeen-Mile house, Slocan district, the Board of Trade party arrived at noon to-day, having made the first trip over the Kaslo & Slocan railway from Kaslo to this point, President Munn and Contractor Guthrie having placed a special train at the disposal of the party, which enjoyed the distinction of being the first to pass over the road. At this point the party divided into two sections, half taking the stage to Three Forks and the others taking horses and riding over the divide into the mines. Previous to their departure a vote of thanks was passed to Messrs. Munn and Guthrie for their courtesy in carrying the party over the road, to which Mr. Munn responded, and amid the singing of topical songs the party moved off.

Y. M. C. A.

Annual Meeting—Most Encouraging Reports Submitted—Election of Directors.

The Y.M.C.A. hall and parlor was crowded last night by the members and friends of the association—a great contrast indeed to the small, discouraged meeting held just twelve months since. W. H. Bone, president, occupied the chair. An unusually long list of committee reports was read, detailing the work which had been intrusted to their care, all of which were very satisfactory and showed earnest, aggressive work.

The following were the reports: President's, W. H. Born; treasurer, Dr. S. G. Clemence; general secretary, George Carter; invitation, Ernest Whittington; cabin work, F. Allett; music, A. Wheeler; rooms committee, H. Siddall; women's auxiliary, Mrs. Jenkins; entertainment, A. Lee; lacrosse, G. E. G. Brown; football, A. Lee; rowing, C. Wrigglesworth; gymnasium, Herbert Roper, and social, W. Bell.

Vocal solos were rendered during the evening by Mr. A. Wheeler and Mr. R. Spice. The treasurer's report showed an income of $2,609 69 with an expenditure of $2,609 19, leaving a balance in hand of fifty cents after paying all liabilities on current expenses to September 1, and reducing the old debt from $590 05 to $342 95.

A large increase was reported in membership nearly 200 having joined during the year.

The women's auxiliary reported having reduced their old debt some $50 leaving them only a small sum to raise to clear them of debt. The general secretary in his report thanked the press of the city for the uniform kindness received from them in the furtherance of the association's work.

At the close of the reports Mrs. Jenkins, assisted by Mr. Carter, presented the prizes to the successful contestants in last Saturday's regatta, the names of whom were published in Sunday's COLONIST

The election of the board of directors was next taken up and the following were duly elected by ballot: W. H. Bone, Dr. Ernest Hall, F. Davey, J. Hastie, A. Lee, H. Siddall, A. B. McNeil, D. McMillan, W. J. White, Herbert Roper, J. T. Bethune and A. J. Pinco.

The rooms committee of the Women's Auxiliary had tastily decorated the platform with cut flowers, and at the close of the meeting served coffee, cake and sandwiches. The new board meet on Friday evening to elect officers for the ensuing year.

PERSONAL.

Theodore H. Robinson is down from the North.

E. E. Wootton has returned from Shawnigan Lake.

Angus McLean, of Kamloops, is paying the Capital a visit.

E. V. Bodwell returned from Spokane and Kootenay yesterday.

Captain and Mrs. R C. Adams of Montreal are guests at the Dallas.

Barrister W. H. Whittaker, of Kamloops, is visiting his parents and friends here.

F. Christiansen, manager of the world famed Sousa band, is a guest at the Hotel Driard.

Norman J. and Mrs. Macaulay were passengers from the Sound by Sunday's City of Kingston.

Joseph Brown, one of the pioneers of Vancouver, is a passenger for Japan by the Empress. He will permanently reside in the Orient.

W. J. Sutton left via the Great Northern this morning for Houghton, Mich, having recently received the appointment of assistant professor of mineralogy and geology in the Michigan State school of mines.

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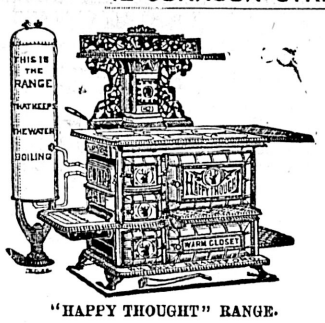

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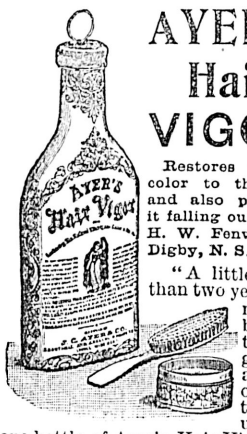

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